

Thousands Visit City for Holiday Homecoming Event

Throng of Last Night Exceeds That of a Year Ago

Dixon's Fourth of July celebration and Homecoming committee realized its ambition in entertaining thousands of visitors throughout yesterday and a majority of these remained for today's program and the week end. The events were presented as scheduled and a very high quality of entertainment was provided throughout the day and evening, which was being repeated today with the exception of the fireworks display. Conflicting celebrations and events in surrounding cities, lessened the numbers attending the day's program Friday but the crowd last evening far exceeded that of last year. Homecomers from hundreds of miles made the trip to Dixon to greet old friends and visit with relatives.

The parade yesterday morning at 10 o'clock was an outstanding feature of the day's program. Streets through which the parade passed were thronged with spectators and the numerous floats and decorated entries were most beautiful.

The Homecoming headquarters at the Elks club house was busy throughout the day and several hundred visitors were registered, then departed to join relatives and friends. President Walter Knack of the Chamber of Commerce and all committee members today reported a highly successful celebration on the first day and another huge crowd was in prospect for this afternoon and evening, an elaborate program having been arranged for their entertainment.

The parade is to be repeated this afternoon and the judges will announce the prize winning floats Monday.

Two teams of holiday celebrants matched wits in the Professor Quiz program held yesterday afternoon at the platform at the corner of Hennepin and First streets and the results were a deadlocked score. Robert Bovey conducted the contest with Miss Bettie Haines as the judge and scorekeeper. Those participating were Lucille Young, Fred Lewis, Lester Hinkle, Bradley Moll, Richard Wagner, Fred Thomas, Jeanne Bovey, Luther Hayes, Darlene Love and Wilbur Maves.

Dixon Soldiers Write of Life in Army Camps

John A. Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blackburn of Harmon is another selectee from Lee county, who has been assigned to training with Co. F, 36th infantry, Polk's Blitz division at Camp Polk, La. Writing of Army camp life, he says:

"After a week filled with physical examinations, Army mental tests, vaccinations, issuing of clothes, meeting thousands of strange young men and train ride, we are now officially in the army. The transition from civilian life is difficult, but we are becoming accustomed gradually.

"Our days are divided up with elementary drilling, inspections, lectures and amusements. These selective men consist of every vocation from lawyer to coal miners and junk dealers. However, that makes no difference now because we all have a special place in the army.

"Our camp is comparatively new, being only three weeks old. It consists of 68,000 acres and contains about 11,000 men. We are looking forward to finishing our 13 weeks initial training in order to be eligible for promotion. News from home is always anxiously awaited".

Lewis John Eller, another Lee county draftee, who is a member of Co. E, 36th infantry and stationed at Camp Polk writes as follows:

"It is a very busy new camp. Not all buildings are entirely completed. It rains at least once a day and we have mud and more mud, but we keep the barracks clean. The food is pretty good and we get enough to eat. Most of the fellows are a pretty good lot and the officers are quite patient. The drills are kind of hard to get on to but are quite simple. The entertainment in camp is getting started and we do have dances and picture shows. We will soon have recreation building with reading, writing rooms, pool table and ping pong tables".

FINED IN JUSTICE COURT

"Doc" Robinson, living west of Dixon, was assessed a fine of \$5 and costs by Justice Fremont Knuffman today on a charge of disturbing the peace. The complaint was made by Fred Beach, a taxi driver, whom Robinson was alleged to have assaulted last evening.

Devine Witnesses Fatal Plane Crash at Esmond Friday

Hon. John P. Devine of Dixon, former speaker of the Illinois house of representatives, who delivered the Independence Day address at the Esmond Men's Community club picnic at Scamp's Grove, four and a half miles south of Esmond, was a witness to an airplane crash in which the pilot was fatally injured and two passengers were fatally hurt.

The accident occurred at about 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon and Evan Mallen, 29, of Maywood, the pilot, passed away at St. Mary's hospital in DeKalb at 7:30 o'clock last evening from internal injuries, a broken leg, several fractured ribs and severe cuts.

Ralph Torres, 20, an employee at the Ed Mayo farm near Sycamore and one of the passengers, suffered a broken right arm, cuts on his head, a badly lacerated back. He is a patient in Lincoln hospital in Rochelle.

The second passenger, Russell Breese, Esmond, received a broken collar bone and other injuries. He is a patient in Glidden Memorial hospital at DeKalb.

Plane Falls 100 Feet

Eyewitnesses said the small Piper single-wing plane was coming in for a landing in a field when it suddenly nose dived and crashed into the field. The plane fell about 100 feet. The motor was pushed back, pinning the pilot in his seat. The left wing also was damaged.

Terse News

Licensed Here to Wed—

A marriage license was issued late Thursday afternoon by County Clerk Sterling Schrock to Sheriff Gilbert P. Finch and Mrs. Harriett C. Benson, both of Dixon.

Get Call for 21 Men—

The Lee county selective service boards today received calls for 21 men to be inducted into the United States Army on July 22, 10 being from district 1. (Dixon, Nachusa and Palmyra townships) and 11 from district 2 (the rest of the county).

Badly Cut in Crash—

Joseph Farley, 801 Second street, was badly cut and his car considerably damaged in a wreck last night. The machine crashed into the concrete signal abutment at the Illinois Central crossing on Brinton avenue and the driver was removed to the Dixon public hospital where his injuries were treated and the car hauled to a garage.

Patriotic Meeting—

Two vocal solos and a reading have been added to the program for the patriotic meeting at the Loveland Community House at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, which all citizens are urged to attend. Harry Jones will sing "The Flag Without a Stain"; while George Lovecamp will give Edgar A. Guest's reading "Our Duty to Our Flag" and will sing "Hear America Singing". The Dixon state hospital band, in new uniforms, will play a half hour concert on the Community House lawn preceding the program and will also appear in the indoor entertainment.

Fair Weather Over Week End Promised

Chicago, July 5.—(AP)—Fair weather favoring midwest celebrants of the extended July 4 holiday will continue until tomorrow in Illinois, Indiana and lower Michigan but the weather bureau said showers were developing elsewhere in the nine-state north central district.

Temperatures were in the 80's today in the midwest except along Lake Michigan where it was cooler.

Highest in the nation was 112 at Yuma, Ariz. Laredo, Tex., had 100 and Augusta, Ga., 95, among the warm spots. Prolonged rain interfered with holiday celebrations in the southern Appalachian region, middle and south Atlantic and east Gulf states.

17-Year-Old Refugee from Poland Most Popular Lad at Boys' State

Springfield, Ill., July 5.—(AP)—A 17-year-old refugee from war-stricken Poland was elected the "most popular boy" today at the American Legion's Boys' State encampment, where 1,200 Illinois youths are being trained in citizenship.

The youth is Napoleon Perkowski of Chicago, who had to leave his parents behind in German-conquered Warsaw when the United States government interceded for his release 10 months ago.

"Napoleon became one of the best known boys in the whole Boys' State," declared Fred Ashley of Chicago, one of the Legionnaires directing the citizenship school. "His stories of life in conquered Poland have given the boys a real appreciation of democracy."

Born in Chicago in 1924, the youth was taken with his parents

Illinois' Holiday Celebration Takes Toll of 20 Lives

State Is Among Front Ranking in Nation In Fatalities

(By The Associated Press)

Illinois was among the front ranking states in the nation in the number of violent deaths reported in the observance of Independence Day, with at least 20 persons killed in the first day of the extended week-end holiday.

While no fatalities were reported in the state from fireworks, there was a variety of causes responsible for the 20 deaths. The largest number of deaths in Illinois, as was the case in most other states, was on the highways. There were 14 traffic fatalities, including six in the Chicago metropolitan area.

Ideal summer weather prevailed, luring thousands to parks, picnic grounds and bathing beaches. In the Chicago area, two youths drowned, while 83-year-old William A. Schade drowned after he fell into a barrel of water at the corner of a porch on his farm, home near Carlinville. He was believed to have suffered a heart attack.

Airplane Crashes

A private airplane crashed in a farm field eight miles east of Rochelle, killing the pilot, Evan Miller, 29, of Maywood, Ill., and injuring two passengers, Russell Breese of Esmond and Ralph Torres, 20, of Sycamore. They were taken to a DeKalb hospital.

A shooting in Chicago and a suicide were the other fatalities.

A Chicago salesman, J. C. Davies, 37, and Miss Frances Bon, 29, of Peoria were injured fatally this morning when their car overturned after Davis apparently lost control at a turn enroute from Havana to Peoria.

Victims of Auto Accidents

Two Decatur children, one 20 months old, were victims of automobile accidents. Judy Ann Lowe, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Lowe was injured fatally when she was struck by a car while in a Sullivan park where the family had gone to watch a fireworks display. Nine year old Patricia Ann Shields was killed by a car in her father's auto wrecking yard. After the car in which she was playing started unexpectedly, he leaped from the machine and fell beneath the wheels.

Mrs. William Moore, 40, of Elgin, and James Scott, 42, of Chicago, were killed when the truck in which they were passengers, overturned on a highway near St. Charles.

Traffic accidents outside the state claimed the lives of three Chicagoans, including Murphy O. Tate, 55, a personal injury attorney for many years.

Reagan Witnesses Children's Rescue

San Diego, Calif., July 5.—(AP)—Film Actor Pat O'Brien rescued his daughter, Mavourneen, 6, and son, Shawn, 5, from a deep hole in the ocean surf near the family's home last night.

The family and Actor Ronald Reagan were splashing about when a strong cross-current swept the O'Briens into the hole. Capt. Bill Rumsey of the San Diego county lifeguards reported.

Rumsey said O'Brien swam to the beach with Shawn and Mrs. O'Brien tried to haul Mavourneen to safety but the current was too strong. Reagan was too far away to give aid. Guards saw the family's plight and rushed over to help but by the time they arrived, O'Brien had swum back to his daughter's rescue. She was exhausted, but otherwise unharmed, guards said.

(Editor's note—Reagan was once life guard at Lowell Park beach, near Dixon.)

Earth Currents

New York, July 5.—(AP)—Magnetic earth currents early today disrupted wire and wireless communications and for several hours before dawn blacked out all radio and cable contact with Europe.

The disturbance, described by technicians as akin to those sometimes caused by Aurora Borealis, or northern lights, appeared to be clearing as morning progressed.

NBC and CBS reported paralysis of short wave reception. Western Union said its ground wires were affected during the night, but that spasmodic interruption ceased by mid-morning.

American Telephone & Telegraph reported similar ground wire difficulty, and RCA communications and press wireless said their service was impeded frequently.

Threat of Strike By Coal Miners Appears Fading

(By The Associated Press)

Possibility of a walkout of 150,000 southern soft coal miners appeared to be fading today as plenary committees of owners and workers gathered in the capital to talk over their differences.

John L. Lewis, president of the C. I. O. United Mine Workers, and L. Ebersole Gaines, representative of the operators in the southern area, said negotiations for a settlement of the dispute were progressing, and indicated there may be no strike Tuesday.

The comparatively minor details of contract wording—the operators already having agreed to an abandonment of the old 40-cent daily wage differential with the north—appeared to be the only hurdle.

As mine owners and employees sought to reach agreement in Washington, negotiations started at Alton, Ill., between the management of the Western Cartridge Company and the AFL Chemical Workers on the question of collective bargaining representation. The firm holds large ammunition contracts.

Dairy Farmers Confer

Members of the Dairy Farmers Union in New York, Vermont and Pennsylvania, who seek higher prices for milk shipped to New York City, sent representatives of 23,000 producers to confer with Owen D. Young, retired industrialist, who owns a farm in New York. They hope to bring about a rise in price to a uniform figure of \$2 per hundred weight, or 47 quarts as compared with an estimated price of \$2.15 for this month.

Boasting a membership of 30,000, the Dairy Farmers' League Co-operative association has discussed joining the union members in withholding milk from the market provided the groups, acting jointly under Young's leadership, can establish some objective and a practicable way to achieve it.

Herman Schick's Will Admitted to Probate

The will of Herman Schick, who died very suddenly last Wednesday at his home on Long avenue, was admitted to probate by Lee county Judge Grover Gehant today. Attorney J. O. Shaulis filed the will which names Noble May, a close friend and neighbor of the deceased as executor of the estate.

The will empowers the executor to sell all real estate and many bequests are made to friends and relatives as follows: Noble May, Dixon, a friend, \$75; Ina May, Dixon, a friend, \$75; Lawrence Little, Dixon, a friend, \$25; Mrs. Nancy Haueter, Dixon, a friend, \$25; Mrs. Carrie Gerdes, Chicago, a niece, \$75; Gurt Gerdes, Chicago, a nephew, \$75; Robert Gerdes, Chicago, a nephew, \$75; Miss Lois M. Mill, Chicago, a niece, \$25; Miss Leila Schick, Hayward, Wis., a niece, \$25 and Lester Heseltine, Chicago, a nephew, \$25. The inventory lists personal property valued at \$200 and real estate of the value of \$1,200.

Governor Green Calls For Unselfish Devotion To Citizenship in U. S.

Monmouth, Ill., July 5.—(AP)—The call for unselfish devotion to citizenship, Governor Green believes, is as imperative today as the call to arms has been at any time in the nation's history.

Speaking at patriotic ceremonies featuring the afternoon program of Monmouth's annual independence Day celebration, Green asserted that "your lives and futures and the lives and futures of generations yet unborn depend upon the preservation of the form of government under which you have found happy and prosperous lives."

"Government by the people has died before in history and is dying now in other lands. Let us join in the solemn vow that this shall never happen on our continent in our generation. No price which we might pay could be too high."

General Marshall's Draft Law Ideas May Be Stymied

Extension of Service For Draftees and Guards- men Opposed

Washington, July 5.—(AP)—Word spread in the senate today that General George C. Marshall's sweeping recommendations for revision of the draft laws might be put aside for awhile.

This report, originated by an administrative lieutenant who asked not to be quoted by name, circulated at the capitol while Senator McNary (R-Ore), minority leader, voiced his outspoken opposition to Marshall's proposal for keeping selectees and National Guardsmen in service beyond one year and for lifting the ban against sending draftees out of this hemisphere.

Robert P. Patterson, assistant secretary of war, approved the recommendations which the chief of staff made Thursday. Patterson said he did not know whether such steps would be necessary, but added that "we should have an army prepared for whatever emergency we may meet."

Expressing the views that Marshall's recommendations would require considerable study by the White House before they could be offered to congress, an administration spokesman added that they probably would be withheld until overwhelming congressional approval was assured.

"Not Justified"

McNary told reporters he saw "nothing in the present emergency to justify the use of American soldiers anywhere beyond the United States and its possessions."

Although McNary had no comment on the point, it was learned he had advised colleagues that a preliminary check indicated Republican senators would vote virtually as a block against legislation to carry out the Marshall proposal.

Opponents of the administration generally expressed confidence that the plan could be defeated, and Senator Adams (D-Col) declared that "in substance, a vote to give that authority would be a vote for authority to make war."

The Marshall recommendations probably will be discussed by President Roosevelt and legislative leaders at a White House conference Monday, congressional authorities reported.

Five Injured in Auto Wreck Thursday Night

Five persons were injured in an automobile crash on U. S. route 30, about two miles west of Brechons corner Thursday night at a late hour. Henry Knapp, 21 of Joliet, suffered a skull fracture and cuts about the head, his brother, Howard, 23, a fractured left leg and deep cuts about the face. Both were brought to the Dixon public hospital by Sergeant Edward Mahan of the state police force.

Mrs. Howard Knapp suffered minor injuries and after receiving treatment at the hospital, was discharged. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schaefer of Savanna, occupants of the car were treated at the Sterling hospital and released. The Schaefer car was reported to have turned out to pass another machine and failing, crashed into the rear of a truck driven by Carl Hedberg of Valparaiso, Ind., who escaped injury.

Two Killed in Early Morning Accident

Canton, Ill., July 5.—(AP)—James C. Davis, 43, formerly of Carrollton, Texas, and Miss Frances Bon, 24, of Peoria were killed today when their automobile left the road on a turn between Havana and Peoria. Davis was employed in Chicago by the International Filter Co.

The Weather

SATURDAY, JULY 5, 1941
(By The Associated Press)

Chicago and Vicinity: Fair to warmer Sunday. Gentle southeast night and Sunday; somewhat to south winds.

Outlook for Monday: Partly cloudy and warm.

Illinois: Generally fair tonight and Sunday, slightly warmer Sunday.

Wisconsin: Partly cloudy, scattered showers and thunderstorms west and northwest tonight; not so cool south portion tonight.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m.—

Friday: maximum temperature 83; minimum 47; clear.

Today: maximum temperature 76, minimum 48; clear.

Sunday: Sun rises at 4:37; sets at 7:32.

Monday: Sun rises at 4:38; sets at 7:31.

Dictators Menace American Freedom, President States

Washington, July 5.—(AP)—President Roosevelt returned to Washington today from his Hyde Park, N. Y. home to muster more weapons against a "dictator combination" in which he saw a definite menace to the freedom Americans hold dear.

He arrived in the Capital about 8:30 A. M.

There were signs that he was ready to act on Russian requests for aid against the nazi military juggernaut, although details of the transactions were expected to be kept secret.

Roosevelt, going back after nine relatively carefree days at his country estate at Hyde Park, N. Y., left for Washington by train late last night after broadcasting a Fourth of July warning to his fellow Americans that their freedom was threatened.

Gathered around radios and amplifiers, millions of Americans everywhere heard him speak, joined with Chief Justice Harlan Fiske Stone, vacationing in Colorado, in the pledge of allegiance to the flag, and heard the Marine Band in Washington play the Star Spangled Banner.

Roosevelt told them that they must realize they were pledging not only allegiance to flag and country, but also their work, their will, and if necessary, their very lives.

Calls for Loyalty

He called upon them for loyalty and unity, for speed, efficiency and toil, and for an end to "backbiting" and to "sabotage that runs far deeper than the blowing up of munitions plants."

"I tell the American people solemnly", he said, "that the United States will never survive as a happy and fertile oasis of liberty surrounded by a cruel desert of dictatorship."

Americans fought in 1776, the President declared, for a great principle that government should be by the consent of the governed, by representatives chosen in free elections. That doctrine swept across the world for a century and a half, he said.

Smoldering Fire Is Fatal to New Yorker

New York, July 5.—(AP)—A roaring blaze which had smoldered undetected more than 24 hours in a brick building on lower Broadway killed one fireman early today and injured 29 others.

The body of the dead man, Carl Bischoff, was carried out two hours after the fire was declared under control.

The injured were taken to hospitals, where they were found to be suffering mainly from burns.

They were hurled across the street by two blasts—backdrafts—of smoke and flames that broke the early morning silence of the financial district like major explosions.

So great was the force of the blasts that they literally picked up the firemen and hurled them about 30 feet across Broadway, depositing them on the sidewalk or against the facade of the American Telephone & Telegraph building.

Heavy steel-shuttered windows popped like corks from the six-story building housing Modell's sporting goods store on lower Broadway between Fulton and John streets as firemen responding to four alarms crashed in a vestibule door.

Chicagoans Injured In Accident Near Ashton

Rochelle, July 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bowman of Chicago were treated at Lincoln hospital here Friday for injuries they sustained when their automobile failed to negotiate the sharp curve on U. S. route 330 at Yorty's Corners, north of Ashton, and turned over in the ditch at about 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Their injuries were not serious and they were released from the hospital later in the afternoon.

Crew of Dredger Digs for Fortune of British Gold in Delaware River

Philadelphia, July 5.—(AP)—A sweaty crew on a Delaware river dredge is rooting through each load of muck gouged from the river bottom just opposite Hog Island in a feverish search for sunken treasure—\$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000 in British gold.

The dredge Commodore, engaged in deepening the Delaware channel just south of the Philadelphia navy yard, has brought up wine in queer old bottles, cannon balls, a pair of old anchors and ship timbers with hand-forged spikes.

And in that vicinity the British frigate Merlin, believed loaded with the gold treasure, went down in a Revolutionary War battle in the fall of 1777.

Is this the Merlin the dredge is eating into?

"I wouldn't be much surprised," declared Dr. Carroll H. Francis, Camden, N. J., historian, former

Berezine River Death Trap for German Invaders

The War Today!

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Telegraph Special Service)

The bloody preliminaries of Hitler's conquest of Russia are all but finished, and the invaders now are facing their first crucial test before the reputedly powerful Stalin line, which stretches protectively along the soviet's old western frontier from the Black Sea to the Baltic.

We now shall see whether the Germans have broken—as they claim—the back of the bolshevist resistance on battlefields where still lie what may prove to be unprecedented numbers of dead, both attackers and defenders.

A titanic struggle likely is to develop, if the Red army continues the fierce opposition it thus far has offered to the Hitlerian advance. Upon its outcome will depend whether the nazis are to overrun all western Russia in short order and fly the swastika from the Kremlin in Moscow, or whether the invasion is to be slowed up, thereby precluding the quick victory which Hitler needs, and placing him in a dangerous position.

The most important battlefield of the moment continues to be the Minsk area along the Berezina river, center of the 2,000-mile front and the main gateway to Moscow. Conflicting claims from Berlin and Moscow leave doubt as to the exact status of the struggle in this bloodiest of all sectors, but one thing seems undisputed—the Russians have impeded the German advance by flinging themselves against the nazi columns with almost fanatical fury.

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The Germans have claimed a crossing of the Berezina, but the Muscovites today declared that repeated attempts to force this crimson barrier had been flung back. The bolshevists asserted that the river bank was piled high with nazi dead. However that may be, the nazis freely admit the stubbornness of the bolshevist resistance in this sector.

A highly important development is the springing into life of widespread communist sabotage in nazi-dominated territory in answer to Stalin's call. This not only appears to be taking place in the actual fighting zone, but extends clear through to the English channel.

That isn't surprising, for the Reds have maintained their underground organizations even in Germany throughout Hitler's reign. There is no more thorough secret police organization in the world than the nazi Gestapo, but bolshevist workers in Germany have continued to court death by carrying on their organizations, all of which are subject to orders from Moscow.

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When I was in Germany at the time of the Munich crisis, I was amazed to find that the communists were distributing printed propaganda. In Berlin, for instance, pamphlets would make mysterious appearances under a cloak of night, without the slightest trace being left of where they came from.

There can be small doubt that the communist organization throughout Europe is in a position to do vast damage to the nazis. That is likely to create a serious position for the Germans, both at home and in the occupied countries.

There was another significant development overnight in Japan. Tokyo is considering an extension of her territorial waters to prevent the United States from using the vital Russian port of Vladivostok for delivery of war supplies to the Soviet. It is stated that the mat-

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Russians Claim 750,000 of Foe Killed in Area

The Berezina river sector, point of deepest German penetration of Russia, has been turned into a watery death trap for the invaders, Moscow reported today, and thousands of Germans caught there are among the nearly 750,000 losses estimated by Russians as the price of the two-week-old invasion.

The Red army declared its stand along the Berezina and Druja waterways had rolled back terrific German assaults, with Germans caught in a destructive hail of artillery and machine-gun fire in the very waters there to be carried, wounded or dying, downstream.

This, to credit the Russian reports, was the modern counterpart of the rout of Napoleon—with variations. Napoleon's grande armee was cut to pieces on the bloody Berezina in its 1812 flight from Moscow. Now, the Germans are meeting fierce resistance there, on the way to Moscow.

Not far east of the Berezina and the watery system to the north which includes the Druja lies the Stalin line—the Red army's principal fortifications.

Nazis Face Major Test

By the German version, panzer columns which flanked France's Maginot line were rolling toward it for their major test against the might of the soviet union.

The center of the fiercest fighting and the direst threat to Moscow apparently extended north from Bobruisk through Borisov on the Berezina to almost a 200-mile battlefield, anchored at the north on the junction of the Latvian and old Russian frontiers.

The Russians earlier said the fighting extended past Lepel on the Berezina canal, 40 miles north of Borisov. The town of Druja, on the stream of the same name, is 60 miles further north and lies east of Dvinsk.

The Germans claim to have reached the Latvian frontier of old Russia after a march throughout Lithuania and Latvia, two of the Baltic states Russia had absorbed as a buffer zone. The Russians have acknowledged a rectification of their lines in the Latvian bombed region.

Foes' Accounts Differ

Moscow and Berlin accounts of how close the hard-driven German spearheads were to the deep Russian defense belt deferred, but the test appeared to be shaping up on the shortest line to Moscow—east of Dvinsk, and between the Berezina and Dnepr rivers toward Mogilev and Vitebsk.

A Russian communique declared the Germans had been unable to cross the Berezina despite three days of unceasing assault, but acknowledged the withdrawal of Red troops under heavy pressure in the lake-dotted region to the north.

In this sector, the Russians declared, they were forced back from the Dvinsk area toward the fortification system inside old Russia south of Pskov, and from Lepel in northern White Russia, within 70 miles of the forts centered about Vitebsk.

On the southern front the Red army was reported in Moscow to be standing firm against an onset by numerically superior forces driving toward the old Ukraine at Tanopol.

Claim Tremendous Losses

A Moscow radio broadcast said the gains had cost the Germans almost 750,000 men killed, wounded and captured and asserted "the best divisions of the German army have been smashed."

The Germans, however, reported crossing the Berezina river in several places, rolling on toward the Dnepr and the Stalin line little more than 50 miles to the east.

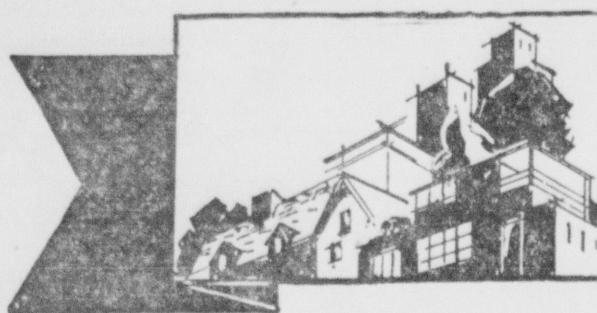
A special Berlin communique said last night 20,000 more soviet soldiers had surrendered in a pocket near Minsk, bringing to 180,000 the number of prisoners the nazis have claimed captured in the first two weeks of fighting.

A Rome radio broadcast said German and Rumanian troops had reached the Dnestr river, old southwestern frontier of the Ukraine, after driving 60 miles across the newly-sovietized buffer front.

With the German submarine base at Lorient, the docks at Brest, and western Germany's industries for targets, British bombers pounded German territory in their 24th night of raiding of the past 26.

FOUR SEVENS PROMINENT

On the seventh day of the seventh month of 1941, Patrick T. "P. O." Sullivan, stockman at the Beaver bakery, will celebrate his 77th birthday. Monday, July 7th is "P. O.'s" anniversary and this year's cycle bring four sevens into prominence in his life.



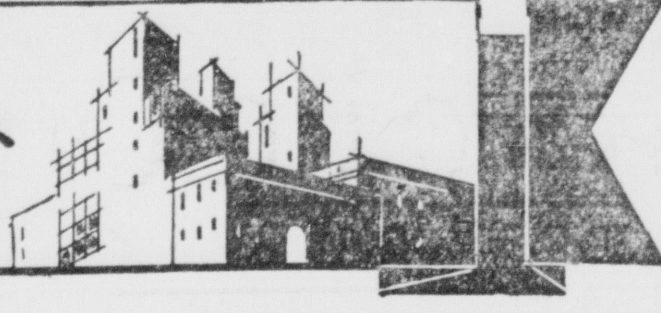
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MODERNIZATION

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The Front Door of Your Home

By Paul T. Haagen

There are many houses that seem to invite the passerby to come right in, the welcome sign hangs out, and to the front door of such a home one must give much credit if the invitation to enter is felt by all who pass hereby, for front doors may be cordial, dignified, repelling, simple,

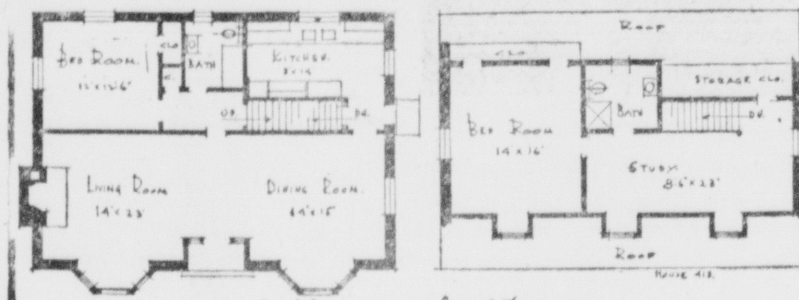
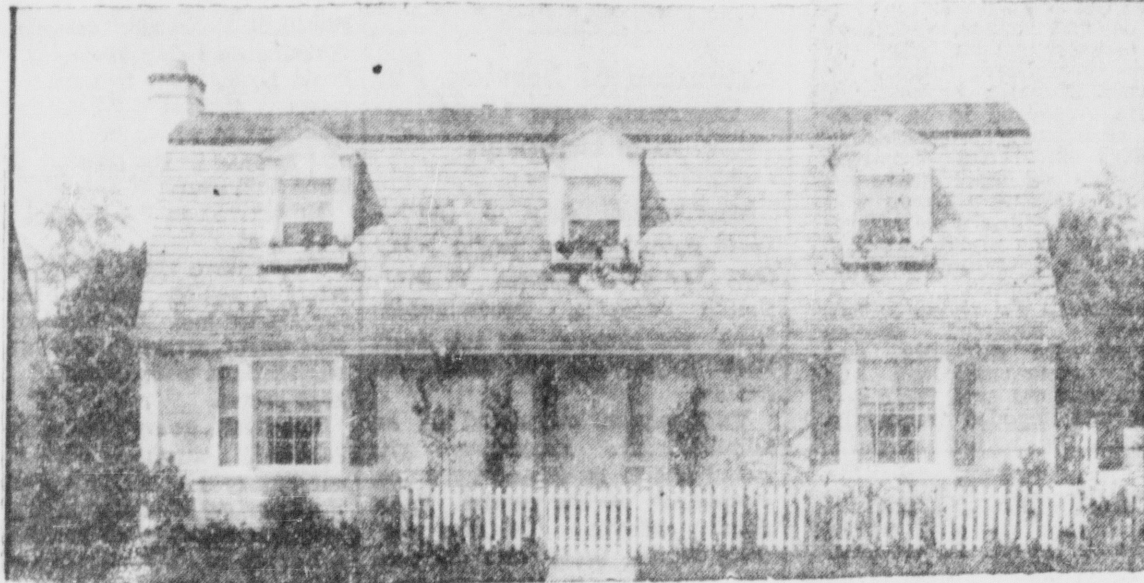
very rich in detail, or just a cozy entrance. And so the hospitality of your home may be reflected in the entrance door, and your house may be disfigured by just any door that the builder may want to build in.

Style plays a very important part in the choosing of the front door placed on your house. If you have a house designed in one of the Colonial periods, certainly you will want a door of the style in which the house is designed, for here is one of the important focal points where a finely designed entrance door with all of the rich moldings, panels and glass may be used to bring out the otherwise plain walls and emphasize the style of the house.

The Colonial periods are very rich in entrance door designs, and good stock patterns may be had from any lumber yard that will do great credit to your home.

Colonial doors are very rich in design. They are paneled with or without glass, and the frames may be molded with sidelights or a simple trim may be carried around

UNUSUAL PLAN



the door. They are usually painted white, but the door itself may be painted blue, green, yellow, or sometimes cherry red.

The doors of what is called the English homes are usually of dark stained wood. They may be plain or paneled or plank doors. They are usually quite sturdy and with bold moldings.

The modern entrance door may be of many designs with flush panels, with or without moldings, with glass inserts or with a design planted on to a flush door with small moldings.

One of the details by which you can modernize your home is by removing the present old entrance doorway which is probably outmoded, worn and better discarded and replaced with an attractive and correctly designed front doorway.

The desirable feature of this plan is the spaciousness of the combined living and dining room which are thrown together. Extra bedrooms might be placed in the second floor if desired. The exterior is very charming with the walls of drop siding and good door and window details. Note the small front garden enclosed by an old fashioned fence.

CAUSE OF WET BASEMENT WALLS

I have had a great many complaints from readers all over this country about dampness in basements and wet basement walls.

This condition is probably due in most cases to the bad construction procedure used in building the house. Proper care was not given to waterproofing the outside walls of the basement keeping surface water or draining roof water from the walls, which if near the wall naturally seeps through the brick, concrete block or masonry foundation walls, and the walls on the inside of the basement become wet.

In a new house, particularly where the soil is heavy, such as heavy loam or clay, it is advisable to waterproof the outside of the basement walls down to the footing line with approved waterproofing paint or compound; then lay a tile drain around the outside of the walls on top of the footings and lead this drain away to a low spot or into the sewer. Then fill in around the walls with gravel or broken stone so that the surface water may find its way into this tile drain on top of the footings and drain away from the building.

Sometimes it is necessary to lay drain tile under a basement floor also and drain the water that collects under the floor.

Of course if your building is in a low spot and the water drains from higher locations down into your property, it will be necessary to take extra precautions because when the basement is dug it naturally becomes the low spot and the water drains toward it.

If walls are cracked, the cracks should be filled up with cement mortar before any waterproofing is done.

There are products which will

waterproof basements on the inside walls but these are not always satisfactory and as time goes on may peel off and the walls be just as bad as they were preceding the application of such products.

One of the logical explanations as to why walls leak is hasty and poor construction that enters into masonry wall that is being built today. Workmanship is frequently sacrificed for speed and in some of the older houses where lime mortar was used in the foundation walls, capillary action by which the water is car-

ried upward from the wet ground into the walls.

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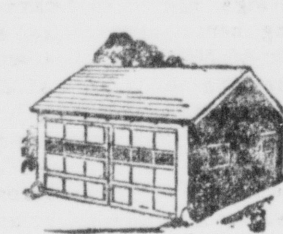
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Society News

FOURTH OF JULY WEEK END BRINGS VISITORS GALORE

The Fourth of July has always been one of the most celebrated of the year's events, particularly because it is the only real summer holiday, but when it combines its tradition with length by coming on Friday, then festivities are planned for the weekend with guests flocking in and out and townspeople planning out of town trips to fill the three days.

With Mrs. John G. Ralston at "Reynoldswood" for the Fourth will be the Thomas I. Underwoods and their daughter, Miss Nancy, of Chicago, also Polly Harvey and Douglas Harvey, Jr. of New York.

NEW POSITION

Miss J. Elizabeth Lee, instructor in music and English at Amboy Township high school for the past six years, has accepted a position as music supervisor in the high school at Wauwatosa, Wis. She formerly attended the University of Illinois and Illinois Wesleyan university.

Arriving from Plymouth, Mich.

on Thursday evening were Edwin A. Schrader, who will remain until Sunday with the Lyle Prescotts at "Shore Acres." The Schraders, whose wedding took the Prescotts north last January, are Mrs. Prescott's brother and sister-in-law.

Mrs. Orrin G. Thompson and her little daughter, Judith Ann, of Cambridge, Mass., who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. M. Mottar of North Galena avenue, are spending some time at Compton with her father, Dr. C. G. Pool, before returning here for a longer visit. Mr. Thompson is due to reach Dixon from Cambridge, where he is studying public administration at Harvard, about July 9.

The holiday week end sees Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClanahan and Mr. and Mrs. William Frye, Jr., motoring toward Canada, where they will enjoy ten days of fishing at Halverson's camp, on Crow lake.

In Springfield for the Independence Day holiday is Miss Vivian Stiles, who left for the state capital Thursday evening for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Roy Ide, who is a recent guest in Dixon.

Enjoying a noon picnic on the lawn at the George Lindquist home yesterday were the Lindquists and guests from Aurora, including Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Bobo and their three children, and Mr. and Mrs. James Olesen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunder A. Torstenson and their little daughter, Christine, have planned a holiday visit in Iowa. They are visiting Mr. Torstenson's sister-in-law, Mrs. R. F. Torstenson, at Cedar Rapids.

Mrs. S. W. Lehman and her niece, Miss Dorothy Hurst were attending a family gathering in Dundee yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peterson were entertaining.

With Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Jones for the holiday week end are her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Uhl of St. Louis, Mo., who reached Dixon Thursday evening. Joining the Uhls and the Jones family for dinner yesterday were Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cahill.

Holiday plans for several Dixon families will revolve about draftee sons who are at home for a brief furlough from camp duties. Arriving yesterday morning for a three-day visit was Lawrence L. Leydig, son of Mrs. H. W. Leydig, who left

Amboy Couple Is Wed Fifty Years



Mr. and Mrs. Burton H. Lyon

Mr. and Mrs. Lyon, life-long residents of the Amboy community, will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Sunday. A family dinner at noon will be followed by an informal gathering for the couple's friends at the Lyon lakes on their farm, four miles southeast of Amboy.

Before her marriage half a century ago, Mrs. Lyon was Miss Hattie G. Hodges. She became Mr. Lyon's bride on July 6, 1891, in a nuptial service performed at Gratiot, Wis.

Both were residents of the Shaw Station community, and resided on a farm there during the first 19 years after their marriage. They now reside at 6 South Macon avenue, Amboy.

Upon moving to Amboy, Mr. Lyon opened an automobile sales agency. He also became associated with his brother-in-law E. A. March, in the farm implement business, later selling his interest to Mr. March, and in 1923, he built and operated a service station at the corner of Main street and Mason avenue, now operated by a son-in-law, Glen Holt.

In recent years, Mr. Lyon has devoted his time to the management of his farm southeast of Amboy. On one of his farms, he has developed a series of five artificial lakes, covering 18 acres and known as the Lyon lakes. All are well-stocked with fish, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyon spend much of their time during the summer at one of their two lake shore cabins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyon have one daughter, Mrs. Glen Holt of Amboy, who will assist her parents with Sunday's celebration. There are also two grandchildren, Mrs. Clarence Gwecke of Amboy and Mrs. James McKnight of San Francisco, Calif., and two great grandchildren, Jack Burton and Mildred Lee McKnight of San Francisco.

POST-NUPTIAL PARTIES

The Misses Helen, Hazel and Sarah Carson, Mrs. Henry Taylor and Mrs. Harry Carson were entertaining Wednesday evening for Mrs. Charles Drake (Dorothy Tourtellott) at the latter's home. Miniature bridal couples, and bouquets of garden flowers decorated the rooms.

Tables were placed for games of 50, with Miss Ruby Jensen, Mrs. Frederick Glessner and Mrs. B. Fenwick receiving favors when tallies were compared. Others attending were Mrs. Yvonne Prestegard, Mrs. Alfred Tourtellott, Mrs. Carl Woessner, Mrs. Fred Yeager, Mrs. William Shippert, Miss Julia Brechon, Miss Ruth Fulfs, the guest of honor, and the hostesses.

Mrs. Frederick Glessner also entertained recently with a variety shower for Mrs. Drake. Games of "bride" were the evening's pastime. Guests numbered Mrs. Walter Ortgiesen, Mrs. Harold Witzleb, Mrs. Alfred Tourtellott, Mrs. Carl Woessner, Mrs. Yvonne Prestegard, Mrs. Henry Taylor, Mrs. Fred Yeager, Julia Brechon, Helen and Hazel Carson, and the recent bride.

Calendar

Sunday

Community sing—At Loveland Community House, climaxing Homecoming celebration, 3-4 p. m.

Gap Grove school—Picnic at Lowell park, 1 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. August Reinhardt of Franklin Grove—Will celebrate golden wedding anniversary at Kersten gymnasium.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton H. Lyon of Amboy—Will celebrate fiftieth wedding anniversary with open house reception during afternoon and evening.

Monday

Monday Nighters—Steak supper at White Pines state park.

Tuesday

Highland Avenue club—Picnic at Lowell park.
Willing Workers 4-H club—Helen Beard, hostess.

Completing Plans for Camp Ralston

Members of the camp committee for Camp John Ralston; Miss Kathryn Harrington, Girl Scout director; Mrs. W. A. McNichols, commissioner, and a corps of other workers are completing last-minute preparations for a camping season brimming with interest and instruction. Mrs. E. D. Reynolds, Mrs. W. E. Beanblossom and Mrs. James Cleidon compose the camp committee.

The week of July 13 has been set aside for Brownies, seven to ten-year-olds. The remainder of the camping periods have been scheduled as follows: July 20, first period; July 27, second period; August 3, third period. All periods begin on Sunday (2-4 p. m.) and end on Saturday (5-7 p. m.).

Physical examinations by a registered physician are required to be taken within the week before coming to camp. Health blanks are distributed when applications are accepted.

Miss Retta Jean Keithley of Dixon will serve as head of the older unit this season. She has been teaching a rural school near Dixon, and has had Girl Scout experience both as a camper and leader.

Mrs. Mark Reitzel of Sterling will return as cook. "Puddin'" as Mrs. Reitzel is familiarly known among the campers of the past few seasons, will be remembered not only for her skill as a cook, but also as a favorite entertainer. Her son will accompany her as "handyman."

Miss Lenore Kenyon of Manchester, Iowa will return as assistant director and program specialist. "Cricket" has directed a troop camp at Manchester for several years, has served on the camp staff at St. Paul, and camped at the National Audubon camp and the National Girl Scout camp.

Miss Ann Schad of Western Springs will assist with swimming and unit activities. Miss Schad, who is a sophomore at the University of Minnesota, has been a Marine Scout, and has camped at Hickory Hill.

Miss Terry Sideow will be music counselor and craft assistant. She is a junior at the College of St. Catherine, and has worked with recreational groups in St. Paul.

Miss Grace Ritson, a leader from Mt. Morris, will join the staff on July 20 as program specialist. She has had training at the National Edith Macy Girl Scout camp and has served on the staff at Camp Rotary. She holds a master of arts degree from the University of Wisconsin.

MARION BUSY BEES

The Marion township Busy Bee 4-H club met Wednesday at the home of their leader, Mrs. Carlton Russell, the president, Evelyn Flessner presiding. There were 16 members present who answered roll call by talking on their favorite hobby. Five visitors were present. Talks and demonstrations were given by Fern Schulte, Mary Ackert, Patsy Morrissey, Alice Green, Jane and Mary Frances Morrissey and Joan Morrissey. Refreshments were served by Barbara Shippert, Bernadine Gerdes and Alice Green. The program of songs was directed by Patsy Morrissey.

SO. DIXON HOME BUREAU

The South Dixon unit of the Home Bureau will meet Tuesday with Mrs. Herman Wasmund, members answering roll call by telling of the meeting they have liked best.

LUNCHEON HOSTESS

Mrs. S. W. Lehman of Bluff Park entertained at luncheon on Thursday for Mrs. Walter Saunders of Chile, S. A.

August Reinharts of Franklin Grove Are Wed 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. August Reinhart will be celebrating their golden wedding anniversary tomorrow at a dinner at Kersten gymnasium in Franklin Grove, to be followed by a special program arranged by their daughter, Mrs. Harry Gleim of Ashton. Approximately 100 guests are expected to attend the dinner which will be served by members of the Franklin Grove Woman's club.

The Reinharts were married July 6, 1891, at the parsonage of St. Paul's Lutheran church in Dixon. The Rev. Thomas Franklin Dornblaser, former Dixon clergyman who celebrated his one-hundredth birthday anniversary last week in Chicago, heard the couple's vows.

Mrs. Reinhart is the former Miss Catherine Gonnerman, daughter of the late Henry and Catherine (Weber) Gonnerman, and will be 70 years old, Nov. 27. Her husband, a son of the late Anton and Martha (Kersten) Reinhart, who also resided in Bradford township, will observe his seventy-second anniversary, Dec. 15. Parents of both Mr. and Mrs. Reinhart were born in Germany and were married after coming to this country.

After their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Reinhart went to housekeeping in Bradford township. Twenty-five years ago, they retired from farming, and moved to Franklin Grove. They have resided at their present address for a number of years.

Both are members of St. John's Lutheran church of Franklin Grove. They have one grandchild, Mrs. Ethel Nass of Bradford township, whose mother, the late Mrs. Bessie Nass, was the couple's daughter.

Will Participate in State Meeting

Selected to participate in the sixth annual citizenship conference for leading rural women of Illinois, to be held at Springfield, July 8-11, are Mrs. Holly Smith of Amboy and Mrs. Eric Gerdes of Dixon.

The conference, believed to be the only one of its kind in the nation, will have as its major theme, the responsibilities that a citizen has in a republic. Sponsored co-operatively by the Illinois Federation of Home Bureaus and the home economics extension service of the University of Illinois College of Agriculture, the meeting will take place at the Woman's Building, state fair grounds.

During the three-day visit, delegates will be brought up to date on legislation pending at the capitol, on the school situation in Illinois, and on the value of organization in a community. In keeping with the conference theme, a trip will be made to the State House, where administration procedures will be explained. Governor Dwight Green and Mrs. Green, and Howard Leonard, director of the state department of agriculture, and Mrs. Leonard, have also been invited to visit the conference. Outstanding speakers will include Carl Taesch, chief of the division of program study and discussion of the bureau of agricultural economics, United States Department of Agriculture; and Lloyd Short, director of the Public Administration Training Center, University of Minnesota. St. Paul.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Buhler entertained out-of-town guests over the holiday. Among the visitors were Miss Elinor McDonald of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tadd of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. William Klingebiel and son James of Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rosecrans and daughter, Mary Ethel and son Robert of Ashton and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tadd of DeKalb. Robert Rosecrans is a visitor from Camp Forrest, Tenn.

About 154,000 persons die of cancer in the U. S. each year.

LaFever-Bevilacqua Bridal Is Brilliant Event at St. Patrick's Catholic Church

An abundance of white summer flowers and many white candles made a beautiful background for the largest wedding that Dixon has seen in a long time, when nuptial high mass was solemnized at the hour of 11 on Fourth of July morning at St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church for Miss Josephine C. Bevilacqua, second daughter of the Louis Bevilacquas of Nelson, and William E. LaFever, younger of the Byron LaFever's two sons. Several hundred guests assembled for the single ring ceremony, performed by the Rev. Father Thomas L. Walsh.

The recessed main altar was hidden beneath pure-white Easter lilies, and at the two side altars were vases of white gladioli. Between were tall baskets filled with white gladioli, and the green of huckleberry screened the chancel rail. Marking the altar gate and contrasting with the all-white blossoms was an archway of pale pink roses. Myriad white candles glowed over the entire scene.

Clusters of white lilies and gladioli were knotted in white satin ribbons marking the pews. A prelude of nuptial music was played on the organ by Miss Celeste Ward of Sterling, who concluded her recital with the Lohengrin wedding march as the procession, led by J. V. Ridolph sang Gounod's "Ave Maria" at communion, and "Panis Angelicus" at offertory.

Members of St. Mary's choir sang the remainder of the mass. Altar boys were Joseph Venier and Edward Bennett.

White Tulle

Exquisite in its simple design, Miss Bevilacqua's wedding gown of white tulle fell full from a fitted bodice into a four-yard train. The bodice fastened in back with tiny satin-covered buttons and at either side of the sweetheart neckline in front was a tiny cluster of seed pearl orange blossoms. Her sleeves were bracelet length, and her mitts matched her gown. Gathered low at the back of her coiffure was a tulle veil.

Yesterday's bride was wearing a white lavender-tipped orchid in her brown hair, and an identical blossom was placed on the white ivory prayer book that she carried. White satin streamers, knotted with Stephanotis florets, fell in a shower from the book, which was a gift from her mother when she made her first communion at the age of eight.

Her gold, diamond-studded necklace was worn by her mother as a bride at Guardian Angel church in Chicago, 29 years ago, and again by her sister, Rose, at the Witzleb-Bevilacqua wedding on May 30. The white pearl rosary she carried belongs to the bridegroom's mother.

Following the vows in which she became Mrs. LaFever, the young bride carried an arm bouquet of Easter lilies from the altar rail, and placed it at the Blessed Mother altar. Mr. Bevilacqua gave his daughter in marriage.

Miss Gilda Bevilacqua was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were another sister, Florence, Miss Ada Venier, Miss Carol Christian, and Miss Florence Carni of Chicago, a Theta Upsilon sorority sister of the bride.

Identical Gowns

Miss Bevilacqua's maid of honor and her four bridesmaids were orchid point d'esprit gowns, designed identically, with square necklines, fitted bodices, and bracelet sleeves. Their white lace gloves were the bride's gift, and each wore a single strand of pearls. Their tiny poke bonnets of starched tulle with blusher veils matched their dresses.

Yellow rosebuds and daisies were combined with baby's breath in Gilda's colonial bouquet, which was tied with white maline. The bridesmaids' bouquets contained pink carnations and lavender larkspur, and were tied with pink maline.

Mrs. Bevilacqua, mother of the bride, wore navy triple sheer with white accents, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. LaFever, chose brown net with white accessories. They both wore corsages of pale pink carnations.

Paul LaFever was best man for his brother. Ushers were two of the bride's brothers, Anthony and

Pioneer Woman to Observe Her 91st Anniversary

Mrs. Catherine Elizabeth Floto, pioneer resident of the Kingdom, will mark her ninety-first birthday anniversary on Thursday, July 10, by attending a meeting of the Missionary society of the Kingdom Evangelical church at the home of Mrs. George Gates, 1209 Peoria avenue.

Mrs. Floto, who is spending the summer at the farm home of her son, George Floto, on rural route 3, and resides with a daughter, Mrs. Fred Gates, during the winter, was born July 10, 1850, near Danville, Pa. She was the fifth of 11 children born to Marshal and Effie (Flick) Gilton.

Although she was little more than three years old when she came west with her parents, the aged woman says she remembers many incidents of her childhood in the east, as well as happenings on the journey to Illinois. The Giltons were six weeks and three days on the road between Pennsylvania and Illinois, traveling by covered wagon drawn by horse. Mrs. Floto recalls "climbing a mountain somewhere" en route.

Upon reaching Lee county, Mr. Gilton purchased 200 acres of land located between Nachusa and the Kingdom, where the Reid March farm is now located. The family called at Nachusa for mail, which arrived only occasionally.

As a child, Mrs. Floto helped gather wild plums, grapes, elderberries, currants and other fruits, and her father and brothers kept her mother well supplied with game, including venison, wild geese and ducks and fish. Feathers from cranes shot by men of the family were sometimes used to trim hats for the mother and daughters.

She recalls having seen Abraham Lincoln in Dixon. "He was not a very pretty man," she says, but hastens to add, "He was awfully jolly though, and said lots of funny things in his speech."

With the exception of three and a half years residence on a farm near Pleasanton, Kan., she has always resided in the Rock river valley since migrating westward. Repeated invasions of grasshoppers caused the Flotos to leave Kansas and return to Illinois.

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About 80,000,000 persons attend motion picture shows in the U. S. each week.

lenic president, and last year, she headed Royal Cardinals, a local service club. For the past four years, she has been commercial teacher in Harmon high school.

After his graduation from Dixon high school, the bridegroom attended the University of Illinois, and is a Phi Kappa Psi fraternity man. He is associated with his father's grocery.

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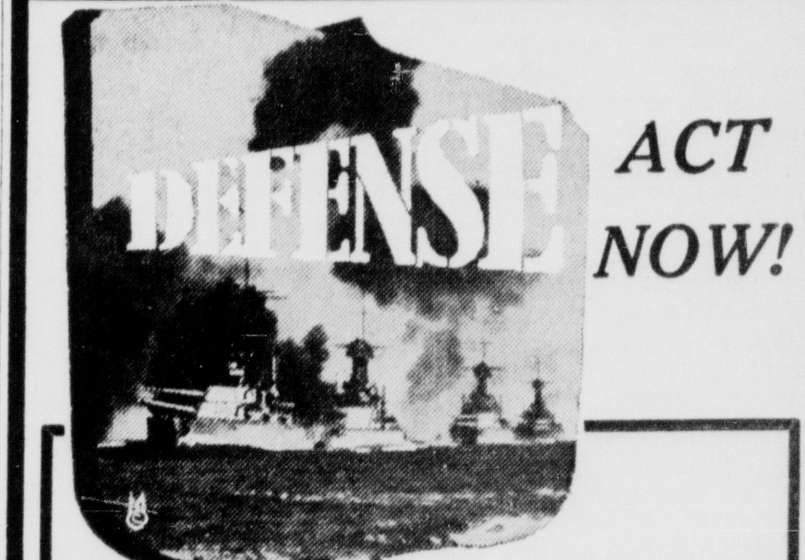
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A Thought For Today

Unto me was this grace given . . . the unsearchable riches of Christ.—Ephesians 3.8.

He desired a man without riches, rather than riches without a man.—Plutarch.

Price Fixer Hits a Snag

Leon Henderson is one of President Roosevelt's advisers. He is not an elected public official. Not one man in 10,000 had ever heard of Leon Henderson before the latter was appointed by Mr. Roosevelt as federal price fixer. Congressmen, therefore, are dismayed when the realize that Mr. Henderson is enacting laws.

We say Mr. Henderson is enacting laws. We do not pretend to say whether the laws are good or bad, or whether they ought to be enacted or not. We simply point to the fact that a man for whom no one has voted, who is not vested with the title of representative or senator, is legislating in Washington. It is said on good authority that Congress never even created the office of price fixer, or authorized Mr. Roosevelt to create such an office.

To get back to the theory that Mr. Henderson is enacting laws, we submit this "law" as proof: "On and after May 26, 1941, regardless of any existing commitment, no person shall for commercial use sell or deliver, or offer to sell or deliver, any combed yarn, and no person shall for commercial use buy or accept delivery of, or offer to buy or to accept delivery of, any combed yarn at a price exceeding the maximum price set forth in Appendix A."

This "law" is called a price-fixing order. It is designed to keep the price of wool from getting out of hand and shooting to the skies. It may be a good order. We are not arguing that angle of the case.

Certain of the people's elected legislators, however, think otherwise. Congress always has been jealous of its legislative prerogatives, and justly so. If too many people have the right to enact laws, no one will know what the law is from day to day or even from hour to hour.

There is an unusual angle to the Henderson price-fixing status. When Mr. Henderson essayed to do something about the price of automobiles there were not many loud wails. After all, it seems, these automobile manufacturers are nothing but economic royalists, coupon-clippers and capitalist and sitters-in-well-stocked-clubs. Off with their heads! But the farmer is another fellow entirely. To mix metaphors, he is a horse of another political color. When you start limiting the price that can be paid for wool, cottonseed and soybean oil you are smiting the farmer on the head. The farmer has a lot of votes, so congressmen who are willing to see the wicked capitalists hammered around begin arching their backs and curving their claws whenever the farmer begins getting it in the neck. Edicts con-

cerning the price of automobiles are good and necessary for the public welfare edicts restricting what can be paid for farm products, these congressmen think, are an unmitigated evil.

Accordingly there is a movement to determine just how Mr. Henderson achieved the power to regulate the price of this and that, and under what statute; and if under any statute, whether it should not be terminated or restricted. Congress feels sort of foolish, no doubt. It votes federal bonuses to farmers so as to boost their income to parity, while at the same time Mr. Henderson, not a legislator, attempts to restrict the price of farm products.

Where Religion Is Free

Almost half of the population of the United States now belongs to one or the other of 259 churches or religious bodies which flourish under our free institutions.

This church membership has been steadily growing, according to the 1941 Yearbook of American Churches, and the bare figures speak eloquently of the position of religion in a society where all men are free to worship God according to conscience.

Despite occasional small frictions, these 64,501,594 members of 259 churches live, generally speaking, in harmony with each other, and with the 68,000,000 who are without such affiliation. Each of those 259 churches has an equal right to win new converts as it can, and most of them are doing it. Such a situation is one of America's finest contributions to civilization. Here, too, as in so many other fields, freedom is a priceless possession.

Cupid's Blitzkrieg

Whether Cupid has taken to bomb and blitz instead of his traditional bow and arrows, we don't know, but in any event he scored more victories in 1940 than ever before in the history of the United States.

Marriages last year totaled about a million and a half, which is a greater total number than ever before, and almost as high a percentage of each thousand of population as that of 1920 when the AEF came back from France and rushed straight for the altar.

Incidentally, Cupid last year got a lot of help from his former triumph. There were a lot of babies born in the years right after that marrying spree of 1920, and it's those babies, now grown up, who are now marrying. Further, a lot of people who have been putting off marriage on account of poor economic conditions have apparently decided to chance it, after all.

Brauchtisch? Keitel? No. Salute General Cupid, who engineered the biggest blitz of 1940!

Chicago bookie was fined for running a vacant lot where patrons could listen to races, make bets and also get a sun tan. Maybe some even got burned.

Delay in munitions production makes it impossible to send ammunition to Ireland, says FDR. Maybe they'll accept bricks and baseball bats.

If we have gasless Sundays, perhaps the back-seat driver could be accommodated if the family bought a tandem bicycle.

Her numerous peace pacts suggest that Turkey is out to avoid any trimmings.

News Behind THE NEWS

Washington, July 4.—The Japs announced their new secret foreign policy would become evident in future action. What they probably meant was it will be revealed by inaction.

The Russian foreign office spokesman who declined to comment because he had "not yet seen the text" of the new Japanese policy was merely offering a Red wisecrack. No text will ever be seen because the policy is to be a day-to-day meeting of necessities as they arise.

Our diplomats expect from what they have heard that Japan will now heavily stress "the purely defensive character" of her pact with Hitler, while sidling from the Berlin sphere of influence into that of Washington. She will further lay heavily upon her own "independence."

This metamorphosis (forecast in this column June 26) was wrought by the realization that to be Hitler's friend is just as dangerous as being his enemy. It was all right for Tokyo to call him chum as long as he was far off in Europe, remote from the possibility of offending either aid or damage to the Nipponese. Now, at the gates of Moscow, he is apt to be in Siberia within a year. That would be a little close for Matsuoka to really enjoy the friendly comfort of a pal like Hitler.

Whoever controls the trans-Siberian railway can control East Asia. The Russians now have a force superior to the Japanese in that area. Thus even the thick-skulled Jap army officers can figure out the only thing to do is to maintain an "open mind" and a worried one.

About all the Japs have received from their axis alliance so far is the dubious distinction of being elected "honorary Aryans" by Hitler. They get oil from us that they can use in their engines.

This Siberian military situation seems to be causing a great mass of worrying about Alaska among some Washington statesmen and writers. Singularly, their public worrying takes the line of urging American participation in the war in the Atlantic. That, they say, is the way to make Alaska safe from Hitler. None is worrying about making Alaska impregnable to attack by adequate defense preparations. Nor has anyone yet advocated moving the Atlantic fleet to

Alaskan waters to protect that American territory.

The stiff new tax bill will be adopted by both houses with some minor changes. New dealers do not like it, because it discards economic socializing plans of the treasury and the Henderson men wanted much stiffer taxes for the economic purpose of confiscating consumer buying power. The treasury wanted to revise its rejected corporation reform plans.

House Chairman Doughton is largely responsible for devising a tax law for revenue only. While he left the technical framing of the bill to his new dealing subcommittee associate, Rep. Jere Cooper of Tennessee, Doughton had a majority of the committee with him in telling Cooper what to write.

Likely to go out are the ban on joint returns of husband and wife, and the auto use tax, but the basic income and corporation features of the bill will prevail.

The happy tone of Russian communiques has not convinced many here since Stalin announced formation of the over-all defense council. As one official here explained that council: "The council is to make the government more mobile." Mobile means backward as well as forward.

An all-out nazi turn upon Britain has been generally expected as a consequence of a German victory in Russia, but a recount of British air strength indicates Hitler may choose to keep on going in the opposite direction.

It is too much, however, to say Britain already has acquired equality in first-line fighting plane strength with the nazis. The British have gained a superiority in long range bombers, but the Germans still outnumber them heavily in short-range bombers (only kind the Germans really need, as their bases are closer to their objectives). British fighter plane strength is about equal the number which the Germans can put in the air over Britain, but no one knows how many the Germans have in reserve.

This is sure: Hitler cannot invade without air superiority and Britain's newly acquired air strength nearly erases his chances of getting it.

The difficulty of organizing a popular movement behind Navy Secretary Knox's ringing call to "drive the nazis from the Atlantic" is that the British never needed such help less than at the moment Knox spoke.

Both nazi air and submarine activity has declined in the Atlantic to a point where the British losses are "negligible" by comparison with the 10,000 tons of shipping losses per day, averaged during

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Deaths

Local

MRS. MATTIE RUST

Mrs. Mattie B. Rust passed away at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital after an illness of almost a year's duration. Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Catherine O'Neal, 422 East Fellows street, with whom she had lived. The Rev. R. W. Ford, pastor of the First Christian church, officiated, and burial was in the cemetery at Walnut.

Mrs. Rust was born in Walnut, Nov. 23, 1869, and is survived by her mother; a daughter, Miss Hazel; a sister, Mrs. W. D. Milliken, of Dixon, and a brother, Dr. F. L. O'Neal, of Danville, Ill. Her husband and one son preceded her in death.

Suburban

MRS. HENRY ORTMEIER

Mrs. Henry Ortmeier of Kent, Ill., mother of Mrs. Earl Auman of Dixon, passed away at 11 a. m. July 3. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow from the home and 2:30 o'clock in St. Paul's Lutheran church of Kent. Burial will be in the Kent Lutheran cemetery. The Rev. Bolton, pastor of the St. Paul's Lutheran church of Kent, will officiate.

TIMOTHY D. HARRIGAN

(Telegraph Special Service) Forreston, July 5.—Timothy D. Harrigan, village clerk of Forreston, passed away at a Freeport hospital at 4 o'clock Friday morning after a long illness. Funeral services will be held at the DeGraff funeral home here at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, the Rev. C. H. Bode officiating, and burial will be in White Oak cemetery.

Mr. Harrigan was born in Forreston Jan. 3, 1884, the son of Timothy and Mary Harrigan, and was married in Savanna June 19, 1922 to Miss Grace DeVries of Forreston, who survives, together with a sister, Mrs. Madge Chapman of Chicago; five nieces and four nephews. His parents, five brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

He was a former deputy Circuit Clerk of Ogle county, was village clerk for eight years and a year ago was agent for the Railway Express Agency here.

NED J. BRADLEY

Ned J. Bradley, well known former Dixon man, passed away at his home in Chicago at 7:00 o'clock Thursday evening. It was learned in Dixon Friday. Funeral services will be held at his late home, 4515 North Artesian avenue, Chicago, at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning and at Queen of Angels church at 10:00, with burial in Mount Carmel cemetery.

Mr. Bradley, who was a member of the Queen of Angels Holy Name Society, is survived by his widow, Mary Browne Bradley; and five children, Mrs. Mary Patterson, Anna, Cornelius, Marguerite and Patricia.

MRS. ANNA LAHMANN

Franklin Grove, July 5.—Friends have received word of the death of Mrs. Anna Lahmann, former Franklin Grove resident, who died in Stillwater, Okla.

Mrs. Lahmann, the former Anna Warnick, taught school in Franklin Grove several years ago before her marriage to the late Roscoe Lahmann.

HARRY WILKINS

Franklin Grove, July 5.—Funeral services were held Wednesday in West Chicago for Harry Wilkins, who died Monday in a sanitarium at Elgin. Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins lived in Franklin Grove until about two years ago when his health failed and he entered the sanitarium.

In January, 1941, deliveries of American planes to the British were 419—one and one-half times the total of deliveries during the first months of 1940.

Tobacco taxes have yielded the states revenue increasing from \$105,000,000 in 1930 to \$97,100,000 in 1940.

SERIAL STORY

ANOTHER MAN'S WIFE

BY DONNA ASHWORTH

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YESTERDAY: At last Lita makes her decision. She tells Jerry. He tries to show her that she is just infatuated, that she will get over loving Ken, but she refuses to believe him. When it does end, Jerry promises she will call for him and he'll come, not because he wants to, but because he loves her. Jerry leaves. Ken calls. Lita tells him she is going to Reno.

LITA MEETS A RIVAL

CHAPTER V

LITA walked down Fifth Avenue that January morning. It hardly seemed possible that eight weeks could change life so completely, that the apartment in which she and Jerry had lived and had been so happy could be occupied by someone else, that Jerry could have another dancing partner, that she could have gone to Reno, and was now quite free. She walked briskly. A cold wind whipped through her fur coat though the sky was clear and the sun made the morning bright. The windows were filled with advance spring clothes and bizarre hats. She looked at her own reflection in the windows as she passed—slim and straight, a jaunty fur hat that matched her coat as just exactly the right angle.

As she walked along, she thought of Jerry, the past; then brought herself up with a start. She mustn't look back. She must look forward.

Sally Green was going to Farmington with her and pretend to be her aunt, because Ken had insisted she must have a chaperone. He had come up from Farmington to help select the furniture for the house Lita was going to rent. She was on her way to meet Sally now. They were to see about a new dress for Lita, then go by Ken's hotel. Ken had a business engagement which would keep him busy all morning, and in the afternoon they would begin shopping for furniture.

"I thought I'd come to meet you."

"Oh, Sally," Lita caught the hand of the plump, middle-aged woman who came up to her. "You certainly do look the part of my maiden aunt, with gray hair, dignified glasses, your motherly way. It's a good thing you can play character parts."

"Yes, Lita," Sally could feel Lita's disapproval. "I'll help you all I can. I guess I'd better begin calling you Ann now, because I might forget."

"You know I don't approve of this wild escapade, of your getting a divorce from Jerry, or your

going down to this crazy little town and pretending that you are an entirely different sort of person from what you really are."

"Now, Sally, please! Please! You've gone over all that a dozen times already. I know you don't approve of me, but you love me, and that's enough. Ken has everything planned perfectly. It can't possibly go wrong. It's a new adventure. And you'll adore Ken."

"I've heard that before, too, darling. I won't adore Ken. I don't even like him. He's a ladies' man with a flattering line and he falls for every new face. I know his type exactly. They're always rich, too rich for their own good, and they always paint the right pictures."

"But he's taking another man's wife. He's a thief. I have no use for him. But I'll put up with him, because you're in love with him."

"That's fine," Lita squeezed her arm. "And now back to Jerry. Have you seen him since I've been gone? Have you talked to him? How is he doing?"

"He's getting along," said Sally as they walked along. "He has been giving Ruth Eustace a terrific run. I wouldn't be surprised if he married her."

THE words left Lita cold. When she had thought about Jerry's remarriage herself, that had been one thing; but for other people to think about it was something else. She didn't like the idea. It couldn't be that she was jealous.

"Yes, she has everything, beauty, wealth, social position. Any man would be crazy who didn't marry her if he could," continued Sally. "And everybody knows she is crazy about Jerry."

"I guess you're right," Lita felt suddenly tired. "But he can't do anything for six months. He insisted I agree the decree would not be final for six months before I could get my divorce."

"Maybe he thought you'd change your mind."

"No," Lita shook her head. "I think he thought it would irritate Ken, knowing that he couldn't marry me, even if he wanted to. Jerry acted as if he hated Ken, but I can't imagine Jerry really hating anybody."

"I'm afraid you don't know Jerry," Sally halted abruptly. "There he is in his new car. Isn't it a beauty? Ruth Eustace is with him."

Lita looked out in the traffic. Jerry and Ruth. Just what she had planned. Now that she was sure, it made her perfectly furious.

She didn't count any more. She was out of Jerry's life. And he had turned right away to another woman. He hadn't meant what he had said about caring.

He wasn't hurt, even if he had pretended to be. Hurt! Loved her! Jerry hadn't known anything about love, really, not a love like hers and Ken's.

"Let's get a taxi and go on over to Ken's hotel," Lita suggested abruptly. "I don't feel like looking for new clothes."

THEY hailed a taxi. All at once she had to see Ken. To be reassured that she was doing the right thing. Last night she had been certain, with his kiss against her lips, but now she wasn't. She wanted him to tell her again that this was the only thing to do. She had to see him.

The taxi stopped. As she started to pay the driver, she saw a couple coming toward the hotel entrance. It was Ken and one of the most striking girls she had ever seen. A slim, straight, dark woman who walked with the haughty assurance of a queen. Her suit was black, with a fur thrown about her shoulders. An arrogant black hat with a bright red feather was perched on her head. Both the strange girl and Ken were laughing, entirely oblivious of the passing crowd. Lita was sure Ken had not noticed her, waiting under the hotel canopy.

They stopped by a gray coupe parked at the curb. Ken opened the door for the girl. They talked a moment. Ken smiled. The girl had started the engine. Suddenly Ken pulled the door open and, leaning in, kissed the girl, then slammed the door and stood on the walk, smiling, as the car eased into the traffic.

Lita paid the taxi man and turned toward the hotel.

"What's the matter, darling?" Sally was looking at her curiously. "You look as if you've seen a ghost."

"Nothing," she tried to laugh, "except that the man who just kissed the girl in that car goodbye was Ken."

"Ken? She moved toward him. "Oh, Lita—Ann." He said the two words at once as he hurried toward her. "I hope I haven't kept you waiting."

"No, we only came a moment ago. And I'm dreadfully curious. I suppose the young lady was the 'business engagement' you had this morning." Her voice was cool. "Who was she?"

"Haven't I told you about her, Honey? That was Janet Carstairs, a girl I used to be engaged to."

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YESTERDAY: Lita gets her divorce, but it will not become final for six months. While shopping in New York, she sees Ken and an attractive girl. Lita watches as Ken kisses the girl goodbye, remembering Ken said he had a business appointment. Ken explains the girl is Janet Carstairs, to whom he was once engaged.

ANN INVADERS FARMINGTON

CHAPTER VI

ON a gray February morning Lita—now Ann—and Sally drove into Farmington. Trucks loaded with furniture, bought in New York, followed them. The real estate man from whom they had rented a house had already engaged two servants to help them get settled—John, a Negro houseman, and Jenny, a cook who was all that anybody could ask.

When the furniture was finally in place, Ann and Sally surveyed their new home. It was perfect. From pictures to rugs and knickknacks, the place had an air of having been lived in for a long time. Antiques mingled with more modern furniture in just the correct degree. Rugs were rich and luxurious. If Ann had wanted background, she had bought plenty of it, as far as furniture and her house were concerned.

"And now what?" Sally asked. "Ken is here, but he might as well be a thousand miles away. What are you going to do next?"

"Today is Saturday," Ann answered. "Tomorrow we go to church. Ken will be there and we shall be properly introduced. He will call tomorrow afternoon."

"Church," said Sally slowly. "And I haven't been to church in 20 years. I wonder if I'll know how to act."

"You'll never learn any sooner. And if you had ever been in an orphanage, Sally, my love, you could never forget, because you had to go so much."

ANN walked out on the porch and stood staring out at the street. The air was chilly but not raw. There was no sound except a car passing down the street and the crackling of the bare branches in the wind. Snow lay on the ground in irregular patches, smoke curling up from chimneys, and in some houses she could see that already the lights were on.

Home. Her whole life from now on would be here. Everything was beginning here. For Ann Marshall, a nice, ladylike name, Ken had said. Lita Damsen was entirely dead. She would never live again.

SUNDAY morning, and all of Farmington was going to

church. Ann had never dressed with such care. Her golden hair was a mass of ringlets beneath her green felt hat. Her fur coat covered a green dress with a bright-hued clip. Everyone would look at her. And she wanted them to. She wanted them to look at her and like her. She smiled at Sally as they walked along past old houses set deep back from the street, and her eyes were eager with anticipation.

At the red brick church with the tall steeple, Ann's heart stood still with sudden fright. It would take courage to go inside. As they went in, it seemed she could feel the eyes looking her over, the questions in those eyes.

Now she was singing, songs she had almost forgotten. The readings all came back, too. The years of the orphanage were as yesterday, and she found herself repeating the words without hesitation, without stumbling.

"They'll never know I haven't been to church since my wedding day," she thought. "But, then, they would never know that she had been married. She must remember that."

Service was over. People were moving down the aisles. People were coming up, speaking and introducing themselves to her and to Sally.

"I'm Ann Marshall," she was saying, "and this is my aunt, Miss Green. We're living in the old Willard house." She spoke to this one and that one. Then Ken was standing before her. The minister was introducing him at the door.

"How do you do," She spoke demurely, a smile on her lips, as his hand held hers a moment.

"This is my aunt, Miss Green, Mr. Richards." And almost laughed at herself.

"And my mother, Mrs. Richards—Miss Marshall and Miss Green."

HE spoke as if he had never seen her before. She glanced at the woman beside him. She was like the pictures of women she had seen, straight, almost angular; Ann glimpsed white hair beneath a black turban. Mrs. Richards' eyes were like Ken's, but more alert, more hard. Her mouth was thin. Ann didn't like her mouth exactly. Her voice was soft, and yet beneath it there was a hint of steel.

"How do you do," She spoke pleasantly enough, but Ann could feel the scrutiny of her glance. Who was this girl? What was she doing here? "We're glad to have you with us this morning."

"Thank you," Ann felt frozen. She couldn't think of words.

"We're glad to be here."

"Are you staying in Farmington?"

"I hope so," Ann managed to answer. "It is a very charming town."

"Yes, we whose people have lived here for generations think so."

Someone else was coming. Definitely, she did not like Ken's mother. Ken and his mother moved on and were gone. At last she was outside, walking along beside Sally.

"Oh, Sally," she said, "that woman! I think I've made a mistake. I'm an outsider. She won't ever like me. If I only had some ancestors. My kingdom for an ancestor!"

"Manufacture them." "She'd recognize them as modern reproductions. No, I'm scared to death. Everybody seemed nice, but she frightens me. Oh, Sally, I wish I were out of this."

"I wish you were, too. I told you it was a mistake. You can't make yourself into something you aren't, though you did look like a saint standing there singing and repeating the ritual over like you said it every day of your life. I believe you've been practicing."

"Sixteen years of practice does a lot, darling. But Ken was so dignified, so remote, not like himself."

"Remember, he had Mama in tow."

Happy Birthday

(At Katherine Shaw Betha Hospital)

DEWEY — To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dewey of Dixon, July 1, a son.

MIGHELL — To Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mighell of this city July 2, a son.

THOMASSON — To Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thomasson of this city July 3, a daughter.

MAY — To Mr. and Mrs. Maurice May of Mt. Morris July 3, a son.

LEO — To Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Joslyn; Leo McGinnis.

"Remember, he had Mama in tow."

IT was 2 o'clock when he called. "Hello. Oh, Ken, darling, you've got to come over right away. I'm in a panic. Your mother . . ."

Her voice broke. "You can't! Either this afternoon or tonight? But you promised. Oh . . ." She swallowed a sob and her voice was a little hard. "Your mother wants you to take her to see some of the relatives, and you are taking her to church again tonight. She always insists that you take her . . . But what about me?"

"Yes, I understand. Perfectly. Yes, in Farmington you don't rush things. You wait. . . . Yes, of course I'll be waiting. That's all I have to do. I may get used to it in time. But I doubt it."

"So she thinks I'm pretty. It doesn't matter. I don't care what she thinks about me right now, or you either. I wish I were back in New York with Jerry."

She slammed the receiver on his words and turned to Sally. "Life looks lovely in Farmington," she said, with bitter sarcasm. "I'll love it. I wonder how he thinks I'll love sitting by my own fire-side while he takes Mama about. I wonder . . ."

(To Be Continued)

Fanfare

By DON DANIELSON

PLAYGROUND NOTES

Starting Monday the playground children of the west end who have been meeting at Reynolds Field, will report at Truman school. Director Mary Trombald has ruled the change due to the intense heat on mid-summer days at the playground. The Truman school playground will be in charge of Miss Lorraine Giannoni. Thursday of every week will be baseball day for the playgrounds and the games will be played at Reynolds field. Tennis instruction is attracting many sports on the playgrounds. Tennis instruction is attracting many children to the high school courts on Thursday afternoons. An all-day picnic at Lowell park is planned for Thursday afternoon. Crafts and rhythm have been added to the playground activities. Borden's milk factory has donated carnivals to the children. The candy will be given on Thursday of this week when all the playgrounds meet for Field Day at E. C. Smith park. On that day championships in all sports will be determined.

MAKES HOLE-IN-ONE

The holiday was a real calendar event for Marion Reese who counted a hole-in-one at the Plum Hollow Golf and Country club yesterday afternoon. Marion drove off number 9 tee with a spoon, dropped the ball on the green and it rolled in the cup. Witnesses are Cy Weinbreuner, Fred Reis, and Mark Smith. This is the first ace reported in Dixon this season.

DIXON TENNIS TEAM WINS BY DEFAULT

Rochelle's tennis team forfeited to Dixon Beier's team yesterday when the Hub city players were unable to participate in a league assignment. Dixon wins, 9-love, by default and will meet the strong Morrison netmen here tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock for the championship of the southern division of the Rock River Valley league. The lineup for tomorrow includes the following for singles: Ward Smith, Alan Wieman, Harold Peterson, George Covert, Robert McNamera and Dick Joslyn. The doubles: Joslyn and Wieman, Covert and Smith, Peterson and Howard Quirk. The team will be at full strength for the first time this season.

HOLLYWOOD STUFF

That black-faced man driving the Knacks car in the parade which advertised the ball game here yesterday afternoon was none other than your old friend Hi Emmert. The manager of the team was hidden behind some burnt cork just to dress up the display and give it the Hollywood touch. It worked, because a big crowd turned out to the Park yesterday afternoon—maybe just to see if Hi had washed his face.

TENNIS TIDBITS

In a tennis challenge yesterday afternoon Harold Peterson moved up the ladder when he defeated Dick Joslyn in sets of 6-4, 5-7 and 6-3. Peterson is now No. 4 and Joslyn No. 5. Thursday afternoon Quirk challenged Wieman but the latter defended his position with counts of 2-6, 6-2 and 6-4.

ATTEND RACES AT OREGON

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Burke attended the races yesterday afternoon at Oregon, Ill., where special track events in the harness racing classes were a part of the holiday celebration.

DOUBLEHEADER BASEBALL HERE TOMORROW

Dixon's two hardball teams will be featured in a doubleheader here tomorrow which is an excellent windup to the fans' holiday parade of sports. At 1:30 at Reynolds Field, the Dixon Junior American Legion team will meet the Legion lads from Rockford in a game which will determine the championship of the district. At 2:30 (or thereabouts) the Dixon Knacks, fresh from their victory over Rock Falls here yesterday, will meet the Prophetstown club, a hard hitting and clever defensive team. Manager Hi Emmert has named his starting lineup as follows: Rucker, 1b; Martinkus, 2b; Studzinski, ss; Miller, cf; Windmiller, c; Full, 3b; Kuhn, rf; Page, 1b; Keegan, p. Other players will include Walton, Devine and the Challand brothers.

VISITING NETMAN

Archie Rawls, ace Chicago tennis player was a guest in Dixon over the week end and played on the local courts in sets with Bill Bawden.

FEATURE SOFTBALL GAMES TOMORROW NIGHT

If you want to wind up your holiday celebration in a display of softball fireworks, you'd better take a jaunt out to the Airport tomorrow night for the two feature games. In the first contest at 7:30 the Sullivan's of Rock Falls meet the Freemans of the Dixon league and in the nightcap the Rockford Ebbel's Foundaries of Rockford clash with the Reynolds Wire team of Dixon.

LEATHERPUSHING NEWS

Boxer Spotts of Dixon knocked out Chuck Ralston in 1 minute 22 seconds of the third round of their 145-pound bout at Yount's Grove picnic grounds as a part of the celebration in Aurora yesterday.

AFTER BIG ONES

Ted Legner, Carl Buckner, Jr., Charles Roundy and Arnold La-Cour will leave this afternoon for Lake of the Woods in Ontario, Canada, to spend a week's fishing vacation.

Bud Ward Faces Jinx, 3 Rivals in Golf Tourney

By LOUDON KELLY

Colorado Springs, Colo., July 5.—(AP)—If that 17-year-old jinx that has waylaid western amateur golf champions so long hasn't been frightened into hiding in some mountain canon near Broadmoor by now, it is stronger than the three opponents Titleholder Bud Ward has faced so far.

The blue-eyed Spokane, Wash., slugger, seeking to become the first two-time winner since Chick Evans in 1923, swept into today's 36-hole semi-finals on a wave of sizzling shooting over the 6,622-yard Upland course.

Ward, National Amateur champion two years ago, is four under par for 54 holes.

John Kraft, Denver school teacher and former Iowan, challenged Ward in today's matches, opening at 10:30 a. m. (CST).

The second semi-final tossed one Texan against another. Medalist Harry Todd of Dallas, 1939 western winner, opposing Morris Norton, a steady-shooting oil man from Wichita Falls.

Defeats Berl

Ward yesterday beat Warren Berl, 20-year-old San Francisco, 2 up, with one under par golf, and then rattled off four birdies and eight pars for a 8-and-6 triumph over Bill Tucker of Dallas.

Todd beat par by two strokes in a 4-and-3 win over Claude Wright of Denver, but had a tough battle with Earle Berryhill of Sapulpa, Okla., before winning, 2 and 1.

Kraft defeated Dee Replogle of Oklahoma City, by 2 and 1, after beating Tennis Pro. Ellsworth Vines, 7 and 6, in the morning round.

Norton was deadlocked with Verne Stewart of Albuquerque, N. M., going to the 18th, which Stewart three-putted to lose. Norton's victim in the morning second round was 18-year-old Frank Stranahan of Toledo, Ohio, who won the Trans-Mississippi title last month. The score was 2 and 1.

Anthrax, a disease contracted from animals, was responsible for nine human deaths in the U. S. in 1939, according to census figures.

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE Results Yesterday

Chicago 6-5; St. Louis 5-2.	
Cincinnati 6-4; Pittsburgh 0-6.	
Boston 4-2; Philadelphia 3-0.	
New York at Brooklyn, both games postponed, rain.	
Standings	
Brooklyn 48 24 667	
St. Louis 48 26 649	
New York 38 22 543	
Cincinnati 37 35 514	
Chicago 34 39 466	
Pittsburgh 30 35 462	
Boston 29 40 420	
Philadelphia 20 53 274	

Games Today

Chicago at Pittsburgh.

Boston at Brooklyn.

St. Louis at Cincinnati.

New York at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Results Yesterday

Chicago 3-6; Detroit 2-10.	
Cleveland 9-3; St. Louis 8-2.	
Washington at New York, both games postponed, rain.	
Boston at Philadelphia, both games postponed, rain.	
Standings	
New York 45 26 654	
Cleveland 45 30 600	
Boston 37 33 529	
Chicago 37 35 514	
Detroit 38 37 507	
Philadelphia 34 37 479	
Washington 26 41 467	
St. Louis 24 44 353	

Games Today

Cleveland at Chicago.

Detroit at St. Louis (2).

Philadelphia at New York.

Washington at Boston.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION Results Yesterday

Milwaukee 9-3; Kansas City 7-6.	
Indianapolis 0-4; Louisville 1-3.	
Minneapolis 5-8; St. Paul 7-6.	
Columbus 2-3; Toledo 0-0.	
Standings	
Minneapolis 46 29 613	
Louisville 45 32 584	
Columbus 42 31 575	
Kansas City 40 30 571	
Toledo 38 40 487	
St. Paul 45 41 467	
Indianapolis 31 45 408	
Milwaukee 23 52 307	

Games Today

Kansas City at Indianapolis.

Only game scheduled.

THREE EYE LEAGUE Results Yesterday

Decatur 2-10; Evansville 0-4.	
Springfield 5-1; Moline 4-2.	
Clinton 3-4; Madison 1-5.	
Waterloo 3-0; Cedar Rapids 2-3.	

Nearly 17 billion tin cans are required annually as containers for American products of all kinds, according to Census figures. The value of all products produced by the tin can industry annually has passed the \$372,500,000 mark.

Knacks Win Holiday Game with Third-Inning Fireworks

STREAMLINED LOCALS GET BACK ON TOP

Pitching Duel Gives Holiday Crowd Real Thrills Here

All the Knacks baseball players had a thrill equal to that of the ski-jumper who flew through space on the north side of the river yesterday, as they whipped out an exciting 2 to 1 victory over the Howe All-Stars of Rock Falls in a game at Reynolds Field.

With a couple of giant firecrackers set off in the third inning, the newly streamlined locals managed to win their fourth of eight games this season. It was a pitching duel all the way with each hurler as miserly as the old man of the mountain.

The visiting firemen took the lead in the ball game when Zera, a former Knacks player, was safe on an error by the third sacker, went to third on a hit by J. McCormick and scored on a passed ball.

Double By Studzinski

In the same frame Studzinski of the locals whipped out a double to center field and went to third on a passed ball but failed to tag as the next two men struck out.

In the Knack's half of the second Full got a single to right field, but never got beyond second base in the rest of the inning.

In the Knacks' half of the third—the winning canto—Walton was first man up and he beat out a single over second base, went to third on a two-base error by the second sacker that left Rucker on second. Martinkus popped out to the left field and the winning runs scored on Studzinski's hit to centerfield. Windmiller struck out and Kuhn was out to left field to end the inning.

JOE LOUIS ADMITS HE IS SLIPPING

Detroit, July 5.—(AP)—Fistic experts who contend that Joe Louis has slowed down had the word of the heavyweight champion today that "I ain't near the fighter I used to be."

Between rounds of golf, before he left yesterday to play in a tournament at Pittsburgh, the negro battler who has defended his title 18 times since acquiring it in 1937 took stock of himself.

"I guess I've slipped pretty far," he said with deadpan seriousness. "Won't know how far until my next fight with Lou Nova in September."

Then, without batting an eye, he added:

"If I find then I've slipped too far, I'll give it all up. Ain't no use goin' on—just to get punched around."

His reason for thinking he had lost some of his ring acumen and dynamite punch?

"I've Slipped"

"Why," he answered, "what happened in the (Billy) Conn fight? I have him in the third round and again in the fifth, but I can't finish him. I knew then that I've slipped. Chappie (Jack Blackburn, his trainer) kept telling me that no little fellow should beat me, especially no little fellow who was 25 pounds lighter'n me."

"But I can't stop him until the 13th round. Then I think it was Conn who beat himself. He fought himself out in the 12th and then I finish him in the 13th."

What has caused him to slip?

"Dunno for sure," said Louis. "Guess it was a couple of things. I been working too hard. I been training since November 13 and ain't had but one little vacation of two weeks between fights."

"I figure if I can't knock Nova out fast, with the openings he always leaves, then I've slipped too far. Will be time to quit and I'll do it right away."

JOHNNY BORICAN IS NEW AAU DECATHLON CHAMPION

Bridgeton, N. J., July 5.—(AP)—Johnny Borican, a mud-runner if there ever was one, is the new National A. A. U. decathlon champion.

The Bridgeton native, competing for the Asbury Park (N. J.) A. C., won the title yesterday in a rain-swept, muddy 1,500-meter run that provided a sensational finish to the two-day event.

Trailing Uval C. Jones of the University of Michigan, in total points, Borican splashed his way to victory in the metric mile in 4:17.2 to hang up a total of 5,892 points. Jones compiled 5,590 points to capture runner-up honors for the title left undefended by Bill Watson of the University of Michigan.

Joshua Williamson of Atlantic City, N. J., formerly of Xavier (New Orleans) college, took third place with 5,236; Howard Jensen, Temple university, was fourth with 5,644; and Archie Harris, Ocean City, N. J., Indiana university's national discus champion, was fifth with 4,289.

BLUFF CITY MARKSMAN WINS HIAWATHA TRAPSHOOT EVENT

Elgin, Ill., July 5.—(AP)—Hitting 95 out of 100 targets, E. T. Eustice of Bluff City, Ill., yesterday captured first place to win the Hiawatha handicap championship event in the opening feature of the three day Hiawatha Indian Trapshoot tournament.

In second place, with a score of 94, was Ed Pennington of Chillicothe, Ill., while A. R. Kniss of Marshalltown, Ia., scored 93 to place third. Four shooters were tied for fourth place, each with a score of 92. They were: William Einseldt, Oak Park, Ill.; A. Dean, Chicago; C. A. Smith, Janesville, Wis.; and C. Soenke, Marshalltown, Ia.

Today's feature event was the Hiawatha double target championship, with 50 shots at 15 yards. In the opening event, 73 shooters, representing seven states, competed. Shooters were here from Ohio, Pennsylvania, Iowa, Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin and Illinois.

MIOLAND TAKES AMERICAN HANDICAP RACE YESTERDAY

Los Angeles, July 5.—(AP)—That man Howard is back again. "Lucky Charley" Howard, he's called sometimes, and nary a peep has been heard from him or his stable since a disastrous invasion of the east this spring.

The silence was broken yesterday. Mioland, successor to Howard's great Sea Biscuit and Kayak II, captured the fourth running of the \$20,000 American handicap at Hollywood Park, and today shapes up as the horse to beat in the \$75,000 gold cup event, July 19—the biggest race in the country this summer.

Chalcedon, Big Pebble, Wolf Wolf, Sweepster, Sir Jeggrey—these and four other horses fell by the wayside as the Howard speedster turned on the heat heading in to the stretch and thundered on in to win.

We Sure Pasted Him, Didn't We Pp?

Fritz Zivic, welterweight champion, receives congratulations from eight-year-old son, Freddie, who saw his father punch Al Davis into submission in tenth round at Polo Grounds.

St. Louis Cardinals Blow Two Games to Chicago Cubs; Dodgers Leading

BY JUDSON BAILEY

Associated Press Sports Writer

You might think being in first place at the close of business on July Fourth didn't mean a thing to the St. Louis Cardinals—and you might be right.

They blew a double-header to the Chicago Cubs yesterday and turned the National League lead over exclusively to the Brooklyn Dodgers, who were kept in their locker room by an all-day rain which drenched the New York area.

Tradition has it that the teams in first place on Independence Day go on to win the pennants, but last year the Dodgers and Cleveland Indians came away from the fireworks in front of the parade—and everybody knows they finished second.

This knowledge must have been some consolation to the Cardinals in losing all three games of their series with the Cubs, who thrilled a crowd of 39,423 fans at Chicago by rallying to take both of yesterday's contests, 6-5 and 5-2. This left the Redberds a game out of the lead.

St. Louis, outbaiting the Cubs 13-8 in the opener, had a two-run lead in the eighth. Then Babe Dahlgren, cast off by both the New York Yankees and Boston Braves came through with his 12th home run of the season to tie the score. Chicago pushed across another marker to win.

Cubs Rally

In the nightcap Clyde Shoun

Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

New York, July 5.—(The Special News Service)—Well, folks, it was a glorious fourth—for Jupiter Pluvius. If Max Baer wants another whirl at punch-tossing, he can have Red Burman in Cleveland in August. . . . Harry Jeffra, the fight game's No. 1 golfer, challenges anyone figure (except a golf pro) to a charity match. . . . That's Larry McPhail moaning account of having to give out all those rain checks, and the big noise was Ray Carlen hitting the ceiling when Mike Jacobs threatened to take the Joe Louis-Lou Nova fight to Detroit. . . . The early birds at Denver have installed Craig Wood as favorite in next week's P. G. A. golf tourney. . . . It's an axis plot out in the American Association where the privately-owned Minneapolis club is battling it out with the big-league farm units—The Red Sox's Louisville Colonels, the Cardinals' Columbus Red Birds and the Yankees' Kansas City Blues—and like the British doing a pretty good job of staying on or around the top.

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REYNOLDS AND BORDENS TAKE SOFTBALL TILTS

Each Player on Team In Nightcap Gets At Least 1 Hit

LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
United Cigars	6	0	1.000
Reynolds	4	1	.800
Three Deuces	3	3	.500
Bordens	2	3	.400
Nachusa	1	4	.200
Freemans	0	5	.000

GAMES THURSDAY NIGHT

Reynolds 6; Freemans 1.
Bordens 19; Nachusa 7.

Thursday night's pre-holiday softball games at the Airport did one important thing—even if the league standings were not changed. Two teams (Reynolds and Bordens) served notice on the other four in the league that the season is yet young and they are still to be considered serious contenders for honors.

In the first game the wiremen trounced the crippled Freemans, 6 to 1. The shoemen were without some of their players who had started their holiday recess early and in spite of the handicap the Freemans gave an excellent account of themselves. In the nightcap event, Bordens trampled over the Nachusa lads, 19 to 7, in a five-inning slugfest in which every player on the milkmen's team counted at least one hit.

Six Hits Equal Six Runs

In the Reynolds victory the wiremen made six hits count for an equal number of runs. One of two extra base clouts was Carlson's triple in the fifth inning which scored two runs. Carlson tagged on a double to left field by Page.

Freemans got only five hits, all singles with the exception of Clayton's triple to right field in the sixth frame. The extra-base hitter failed to score when he was out on a relay from right-fielder to first to catcher.

Fordham was the winning chucker and he struck out two and walked two. Slain took to the mound for the shoemen and did a fine substitute job by allowing only six hits, walking four and fanning one.

In the nightcap murder all the milkmen got hits, and there was a scattering of extra-base raps.

Heavy Hitters

One heavy hitter of the Borden winners was Scriven who got three singles in four trips to the plate. D. Bush got a triple, Haas got a home run to left field, and Metzen also got a homer.

Johnson of the Nachusa team got a single and double in three trips to the plate.

Winning pitcher was Jensen who allowed six hits, walked one and struck out five. Weigle and Myers did the hurrying for the losers and they permitted 16 hits. Weigle walked one and fanned two. Meyers walked two and whiffed one.

Box scores:

Reynolds (6)					
	ab	r	h	po	a
McConaughy, c	3	1	2	2	0
Carlson, 2b	3	1	1	2	0
Page, 1b	2	1	1	1	2
Miller, ss	2	1	1	3	2
Ankeny, cf	2	1	0	0	0
Woodridge, cf	3	0	1	0	0
Cox, if	1	0	0	0	0
Walker, if	1	0	0	0	0
Windmiller, c	3	0	1	4	0
Full, 3b	3	0	1	2	2
Fordham, p	2	1	1	5	0
Total	25	6	6	21	6
Freemans (1)					
	ab	r	h	po	a
Chamer, cf	4	0	1	1	0
Klehn, c	4	0	1	0	0
Kuhn, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Slain, p	3	0	0	0	0
Sloan, 3b	3	0	1	4	6
Total	28	0	3	15	6

Score by Innings

Bordens 755 02x—19

Nachusa 010 01x—7

REISER AND MIZE BATTLE FOR HONORS

New York, July 5.—(AP)—A lot of hitting is being done these days in the big leagues, and Ted Williams of the Boston Red Sox is still doing his share, but two sluggers in the National league are having the most interesting battle.

For weeks, Rookie Pete Reiser of the Brooklyn Dodgers has set the pace in the senior circuit, with a couple of St. Louis Cardinals, Johnny Mize and Enos Slaughter, trailing him closely.

Mize, the 1939 batting champion, overtook his younger rival during the middle of this week, but today they were in an almost exact tie for first.

ZUPPKE HAS TALK WITH PREXIE; STILL FIRM IN RESOLVE TO HOLD JOB

Champaign, Ill., July 5.—(AP)—Robert Zuppke, principal figure in the University of Illinois' latest athletic department controversy, has had a chat with Arthur C. Willard, university president, but he's still adamant in his resolve not to resign his football coaching stewardship.

After a luncheon yesterday at the Willard home, Zuppke said, "I have no statement. The president invited me to luncheon and we had a friendly chat."

The veteran of 28 seasons at Illinois, again under fire after an ouster movement in 1938 had failed, made it clear however, that he had not changed his stand to fight any new pressure and would refuse to resign.

In recent newspaper interviews Zuppke has charged Wendell Wilson, athletic director, with "knifing in the back" tactics and more than a week ago he was reported to have refused to confer with President Willard.

Board of directors of the Illini club of Chicago on Thursday gave Zuppke a vote of "complete confidence."

LASSIE STAKES TODAY

Chicago, July 5.—(AP)—

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—			
July . 1.04 1/4	1.04 1/4	1.03 1/4	1.03 1/4
Sept. . 1.03	1.03	1.04 1/4	1.04 1/4
Dec. . 1.06 1/4	1.06 1/4	1.05 1/4	1.05 1/4
CORN—			
July . 73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Sept. . 73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Dec. . 77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
OATS—			
July new	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Sept new	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Dec. . 39	39	38 1/2	38 1/2
SOYBEANS—			
July . 1.46 1/4	1.46 1/4	1.45 1/4	1.45 1/4
Sept. . 1.36 1/4	1.36 1/4	1.35 1/4	1.35 1/4
Dec. . 1.37	1.38 1/4	1.36 1/4	1.36 1/4
RYE—			
July old . 52	52	51 1/2	51 1/2
Sept old . 52	52	51 1/2	51 1/2
Dec. . 57	57 1/2	57	57
LARD—			
July . 60	60	59 1/2	59 1/2
BELLIES—			
July . 10.12			

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, July 5—(AP)—Cash wheat No. 2 red 1.05 1/4; No. 4, 1.05; No. 1 hard 1.05; No. 2, 1.05; No. 2 mixed 1.04 1/4; No. 3, 1.04. Corn No. 2 yellow 74 1/4; No. 2, 74 1/4; No. 3, 74; No. 4, 72 1/2; No. 5, 72 1/2; sample 64 1/2; No. 1 white 87; No. 5, 82 1/2. Oats No. 1 mixed heavy 39; No. 3 red heavy 38 1/2; No. 1 white heavy 39 1/2; No. 2, 39; No. 3, 38 1/2. Soybeans No. 2 yellow 1.45 1/4; No. 3, 1.45 1/4; No. 4, 1.45. Buckwheat No. 2, 1.35 1/4; No. 3, 1.35 1/4. Barley malting 55 1/2; No. 2, 55 1/2; feed and screenings 45 1/2 nom.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, July 5—(AP)—The Chicago livestock market was closed today and no receipts were posted. The following is the regular weekly summary prepared here by the U. S. department of agriculture office.

Hogs: Compared Friday last week: good and choice barrows and gilts 15 to 25 lower, packing sows 15 to 25 off.

Cattle: Compared Friday last week: light and medium weight steers and yearlings 25 to 50 higher, mostly 25 to 40 up; but improved market largely a forced affair due to sharply curtailed receipts and heavy steers on the range to 25 higher, kinds scaling over 1450 lbs showing little net change; fed heifers shared steer advance but cows 15 to 40 lower, cutters and common beef cows off most; bulls 10 to 15 off, and vealers 50 lower; largely fed steer and heifer run, but corn belt and southwest grass cows in relatively larger supply, especially cutters and common beef grades, also very liberal proportion long fed heavy steers in crop from nearby and inter-moun-

Burning Car Causes Series of Events On Route Near Here

A car belonging to Mason Brown, 2405 South Sixth street, Rockford, was badly damaged Thursday evening about 8 o'clock, when it caught fire as it was driven toward Dixon on state route No. 2 just east of the Mt. Union cemetery. The community fire truck was called and firemen extinguished the flames before the car was completely destroyed.

While the members of the fire department were extinguishing the blaze, two cars going in opposite directions, collided head on and were damaged slightly. A woman driving one of the cars fainted and a spectator who was watching the burning car was struck and knocked down, but suffered only minor bruises.

STEWART

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bates and Mrs. Hall attended the wedding of Mrs. Hall's grandson in Rockford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rapp and family returned to their home here Saturday after spending their vacation at the lakes in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Noyes and daughter Lucile spent the week end with friends and relatives at Mt. Vernon and West Frankfort, Ill.

Mrs. Fred Isenhardt and small son Jimmie of Mt. Morris were dinner guests Wednesday at the A. F. Gunderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Beitel and daughter Jeanne returned home Saturday evening from their trip to Fort Worth, Texas, where they visited their son Wayne and wife.

Mrs. Howard Ritchie and Mrs. Henry Klenke and Mrs. Clarence Ewald attended a cooking demonstration at Amboy Friday afternoon.

Rev. Hughes Morris had charge of the preaching services at the Methodist churches in Franklin Grove and Ashton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beardsley and daughters of Chicago spent the week end here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beardsley.

Howard Gunderson of Rockford spent Tuesday night and Wednesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gunderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ewing entertained friends and relatives from Elmhurst, Walnut and Zeeland, Ill. at their home here last Sunday.

Mrs. James Miner and sons Paul and Freddie and Wayne Redner left last Friday evening for Mt. Tenn., to visit relatives for about 10 days.

Misses Lydia Heath and Patsy Hall of the 4-H club left Monday for Camp Ralston near Rockford for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gunderson

WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Waring Reporter Telephone L291

Mrs. Everett Larson and children of Sikeston, Missouri, are spending a two weeks' vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bullington and other relatives.

W. H. Baney and granddaughter Nyla Jo Kasteen went to Lansing, Michigan, Friday, to bring Mrs. Baney home. She went there to be with her sister, who submitted to surgery about two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Watkins of Chicago are spending the week end in Walnut.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Keigwin and Mrs. Emma Keigwin of Peoria are spending the week end with Mrs. Pauline Shearburn and other relatives.

Mrs. Edna Van Arnum of Chicago is visiting with her brother, Frank Bullington and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keigwin are visiting in Evanston at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Keigwin and Miss Virginia Keigwin.

Supper guests at the home of Mrs. Dorothy M. Waring and sons July 4th were Mrs. Everett Larson and children of Sikeston, Missouri; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Watkins, Chicago; Mrs. Martha Watkins and daughter Nettie and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bullington.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mattes returned home Tuesday evening from Keil, Wisconsin, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kooser and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mattes.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Swan were callers Friday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sausser and family.

Lenore Parker has been visiting since Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kunde of Rochelle.

Two Chicago boys, Martin Biedron and Edward Ozian, are spending two weeks in Walnut. Martin is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoge and Edward is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Allen. They are sent out by the United Charities of Chicago for summer outings.

Miss Lou Hoge of Springfield is spending two weeks at the homes of her nephew Elmer and Loren Hoge, and her niece, Mrs. Everett Ganschow.

Mrs. Clifford Hill and daughter Charlene returned home Wednesday evening from a visit with relatives at Jerseyville. She also visited with Rev. and Mrs. Dewey Kooley and son at Wood River, who accompanied her home and who spent Thursday at the Hill home. Thursday evening Rev. and Mrs. Kooley went to Tampico to visit at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Hanson.

Mrs. George Kimes, Mrs. Dan Dodd of Rock Falls and Mrs. Robert Laursen of Sterling spent Friday afternoon with their sister, Mrs. Mary Battin and helped her to observe her birthday which occurred that day. A delicious lunch was served.

Miss Lorna Tower returned to her home at Mendota Thursday evening.

John Winger and John Fisher spent Wednesday at Peoria. Mrs. Winger rode to Sheffield and visited with her son, Clifton Winger.

Dean and Lee Ganschow, sons of Gerald Ganschow, left Princeton Thursday morning with Mr. Dean, farm adviser, and a group of boys on a 4-H camping trip, near Rockford. They expect to be home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dal Wallis and Mrs. Bert Wallis spent Thursday evening in Dixon.

Miss Itha Wallace is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert Allen of Harmon.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, July 5—(AP)—Potatoes arrivals 148; on track 332; total US shipments Thursday 770; 1500-1550 lbs. 11.75; 1440 lbs. at 11.60; 1550 lbs. at 11.25; predominant supply medium and heavy good to average-choice steers 10.75 to 11.55; most such offerings closed slow; strictly choice steers on close 11.50; bulk good springs on 11.00 to 11.40; with only strong weight cuts upward to 9.50 and bulk 9.00 downward to 7.00; few medium to good native yearlings 8.00 to 9.00; odd head fat lambs 4.75; bulk including weights upward to 180 lbs 3.75 to 4.50; and cull and common kinds 2.00 to 2.75.

U. S. Bonds Close

(By The Associated Press)

Treas 45 1/4; U. S. 2 1/2% 111.27; U. S. 3 1/2% 111.21.

Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)

Al Chem 153 1/4; Am Car 32 1/2; Am Rad 6 1/4; Am Sm 41 1/4; Am Stl Fds 24 1/4; A T & T 158 1/4; Am Tob R 70; Anac 27 1/4; A T & S F 26; Av Corp 3 3/4; Bald Loco 19 1/4; B & O 3 1/2; Bendix 37 1/4; Beth Stl 73 1/4; Boeing 16 1/4; Borg 19 1/4; Borg 17 1/4; Chrysler 55 1/4; Colgate 14; Com Solt 10 1/4; Corn Prod 48; Curt W 8 1/4; Deere 24 1/4; Dupont 15 1/4; El P & P 1 1/4; G E 22 1/4; Gen Fds 37 1/4; G M 37 1/4; Goodrich 13 1/4; Goodyear 17 1/4; Kenn 37 1/4; Kroger 26 1/4; Lib O F 28 1/4; Lockheed 25 1/4; Marshall Fd 16 1/4; Mont Ward 34; Nat Bk 16 1/4; Nat Dairy 15 1/4; N J 22 1/4; N O & A 14; No Am C 12 1/4; No Pac 6 1/4; Penney 30 1/4; Penn R 23 1/4; Phillips Pet 43 1/4; Pub Svc N Y 21 1/4; Repub Stl 19 1/4; Rev Tob B 32 1/4; Sears 7 1/4; Shell 15 1/4; St Oil 45 1/4; St Oil N J 22 1/4; Swift 22; Tex Corp 39 1/4; Un Carb 72 1/4; Unit Air 10 1/4; Unit Air 40 1/4; US Stl 22 1/4; US Stl Pif 11 1/4; West Un 24 1/4; West El 93 1/4; White Mt 5 1/4; Wilson 17 1/4; Woolworth 29 1/4; Yellow Tr 14 1/4.

and Mrs. Dorothy Stunkel and daughter Donna and Charles Hess attended church services in Pearl City last Sunday and were guests of Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Jordan.

Mrs. Gertrude Cook and daughter Florence have been spending the past two weeks with friends in Iowa, at the home of her son Lyle and family in Ree Heights, South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Albee celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Thursday afternoon, July 3, with open house from 2 to 5 in the afternoon and from 7 to 9 in the evening. There was error in the time in last week's paper.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fell and daughter June and Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Pierson of Polo spent the Fourth at the home of Prof. and Mrs. A. W. Mead of Plainfield.

Miss Elizabeth Hochstrasser returned to her home here Wednesday after spending some time in Wisconsin with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wollstadt and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Acker and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Acker and family of Rockford were callers Sunday afternoon at the Cliff Albee home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kaalas spent last Sunday at Lake Villa with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hewitt and daughter Jane and A. J. Oldknow spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lutz in Rock Falls.

The Misses Alice and Eunice Macklin of Chicago were dinner guests Sunday evening of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Macklin.

Mrs. Ella G. Rowley and Mrs. Ella C. Rowley and son Chandler and wife of Aurora are spending their vacation here at their farm just east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Beitel were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Beitel of Shabbona.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Macklin and daughter Patsy and his mother, Mrs. Macklin of Colorado spent last Sunday at Lowell park near Dixon.

The little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sexton of near Rochelle spent several days last week at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stauffer spent the week end at the Allen Straley home near Oregon.

Mrs. A. G. Gunderson and Mrs. Dorothy Stunkel and daughter Donna and Howard Gunderson drove to Rockford Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. M. Fell entertained a crowd of little girl friends of her daughter June at her home last Thursday afternoon in honor of June's 10th birthday. Games were played, after which June and her many lovely gifts and then a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Fell.

Christian Ladies' Aid at Church

The Christian Ladies' Aid met at the church Thursday afternoon. About 40 per in attendance. The new president, Miss Alice Kramer, opened the meeting by singing "America the Beautiful." She then turned the meeting over to the devotional leader, Mrs. Ruth Hopkins, who used "Christian Imperatives of Democracy" as her topic. After her opening song, "I Love to Tell the Story," scriptural was read by Mrs. Pearl Brandenburg. Mrs. Violet Wallis gave a reading. The president conducted the business meeting and appointed the following committees: parsonage, Violet Wallis, Blanche Durham, Lelia Ganschow; flowers and cards, Velma Schrader and Maggie Kruse; and also a committee, Martha Walrath, Mary Colvin, Edna Sousser, to see about paint for the halls and stairs. Miss Kramer will act as chairman on this committee.

A delicious lunch was served by a group of the Willing Workers division.

John A. Anderson Passes Away

John A. Anderson, 71, passed away about 9:15 Friday morning at his home. He has been ill the past twelve weeks with heart and liver complications. John A. Anderson was born January 29, 1870, in Manlius township. He was the eldest son of Peter and Hannah Anderson and his early life was spent in Manlius and Wyandott townships. He was married February 14, 1870, to Miss Jennie Johnson and they went to farming on a farm near Wyandott. In 1904 they moved to a farm near Walnut, from which they retired and

moved to town in 1926. To this union were born five children, four of whom survive him: Mrs. Irving Taylor of Princeton; Harry of Princeton; Glen of Athens, and Ethel at home. His wife preceded him in death Nov. 20, 1934, and also a son, Roy, who passed away in 1934. He also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Ellen Peterson, La-Moille; Mrs. Henry Anderson, Tiskilwa, and Miss Esther Anderson of Zeeland, and also three grandchildren.

He was a member of the Swedish Lutheran church of Princeton. Funeral services will be conducted at the home Sunday afternoon at 2:30 with the Rev. William Shearman officiating. Burial in Walnut cemetery.

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Deaths

Suburban—

THOMAS C. SUMMERS

Polo—Thomas Cleveland Summers of Polo, Ill., passed away at the Dixon hospital on July 4 at 10:30 a. m., following an emergency operation for ulcerated stomach. Mr. Summers had not been well for some time. Two weeks ago his affliction became more severe. Last Thursday he underwent an operation which came too late to relieve his distress.

Funeral services to be conducted from the home at 203 West Dixon street at 1:30 p. m. and at the Pine Creek Brethren church at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, July 6. Services will be in charge of Rev. William Thompson of Dixon and Rev. Jesse Baker of Polo. Burial in the Pine Creek cemetery.

SOCIETY

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

A group of 30 relatives and friends gathered Sunday evening at the Jerry Zentz home near Harmon to celebrate the birthdays of Ethel Helfrich, Ruth Zentz and Glenn Zentz which had occurred during the week. The evening was spent playing buncos, favors being won by Ethel Helfrich, Gerald Strauch, Ruth Zentz and Wayne Levan. Unwrapping of presents was enjoyed by all and later refreshments were served.

BRIDE IS COMPLIMENTED

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. George Lair was entertaining with a buncos party and a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Louis Sindlinger, the former Miss Elva Lair. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Frances Fluck and Mrs. Clara Helgeist. Late in the afternoon, preceding a tempting lunch of ice cream and cake, Mrs. Sindlinger was unwrapping many useful and beautiful gifts. Those in attendance were: Madames Marion Graf, Donald Miller, Marion Bollman and daughter, Florence Swartz, Harry Lewis, Estella Sweitzer, Olive Genz, Clara Helgeist, Florence White, Francis Fluck and son, Mable Fluck, Bessie Miller, Pearl Friel and daughter, Julius Mekeel and daughter Alice, Kathryn Metz, Rita Foster, Bertha Sindlinger, Maggie Lair and the honoree.

SHERIFF IS WED

Sheriff Gilbert P. Finch and Mrs. Harriett C. Benson of this city were married Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the Rev. Herbert J. Doran, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. They were unattended and the wedding came as a complete surprise to his host of friends.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Prescott entertained guests at dinner last evening.

Maurice Swartz of Streator was a guest over the Fourth of Dr. and Mrs. Grover Moss at Grand Detour.

Paul Fry has returned to his duties at the offices of the Doctors Murphy after a long and serious illness.

Mrs. Charles A. Todd has gone to her summer home in Ironton, Mich.

Mrs. Clifford Brodeur and daughter, Shirley Ann, of San Francisco, Calif., and Miss Gertrude Manning of Los Angeles arrived last week end to spend the summer with their mother, Miss Anna Manning of Peoria Road and relatives in the Dixon vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Drew, Mrs. N. O'Connor and Richard O'Connor of Chicago, Ill., are spending the week-end at the John P. Drew home.

Miss Bessie Blackburn of Oak Park spent the 4th in Dixon.

Miss Bessie Kennedy of Freeport was a July visitor in Dixon Friday.

Pvt. Robert C. Barton of the 30th Inf. of San Francisco, Calif., arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Barton this morning for a 30-day leave. Robert has served one year in the U. S. army and when he returns he will be stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., for a few months.

Mrs. A. E. Elliott of Chicago is visiting friends and relatives here during the Homecoming week-end.

Miss Frances Thompson, registered nurse at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital, is spending a week's vacation in Wilmington, N. C.

Miss Elinor Thompson is spending the week-end in West Chicago with friends.

Mrs. A. F. Moore has returned from a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. R. C. Henderson in Ottawa, Kan.

Pvt. John Dixon of Fort Sheridan is spending the week-end with his parents, Judge and Mrs. George C. Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warner, and son, Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tilt, Miss Hazel Graham, Mr. and Mrs. John Hemmen and Mrs. Dorothy LeKander and children of DeKalb spent the Fourth of July at the Hemmen cottage in Grand Detour.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Poynton of Chicago are visiting her mother, Mrs. Gaffney.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ruff and son, John, of Chicago, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemmen.

Mrs. Lottie J. Sheffield, formerly of Grand Detour, who now resides in California, has been a guest at the Hotel Nachusa for the past week. She is spending a week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Netz in Pince Creek, Nye county before returning to her home.

Clark Rickard, Dixon merchant, who suffered a broken hip when he fell while near his store at 120 Galena avenue several weeks ago, was discharged from the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital Thursday and is now recuperating satisfactorily at his home, 235 Lincoln way.

Lieut. Orrin Peterson and wife, Lieut. Robert Meppen and wife, and Lieut. Al Bleske and Lieut. Zantner, stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn., are spending the week end in Dixon visiting with relatives and friends.

MENDOTA

Mrs. Bertha Ossman 311 Seventh Avenue Phone 266L

Lutheran Ladies Aid

St. John's Lutheran Ladies Aid met Thursday afternoon at the Parish hall at 2:30. Rev. A. W. Engelbrecht opened with devotions and also talked on "Good Citizenship." Mrs. Julius Schaller presided at the business meeting. Reports were made by the secretary, Mrs. Marion Sauer and treasurer, Mrs. Emmi Reichardt. Mrs. Frank Fassig, visiting chairman, reported her committee had made 81 calls during the month of June.

July being the picnic month refreshments were served at tables decorated with picnic baskets. The birthday table was centered with a bouquet of red, white and blue garden flowers. A miniature cannon, also fire crackers.

Refreshment committee was Mrs. B. Ossman, general chairman, Mrs. F. J. Reichert, dining room chairman, assisted by Mrs. Howard Pohl. Others surviving were Mrs. Jerome Phelps, Mrs. Ed Pohl, Miss Elizabeth Pohl, Mrs. John Politich, Sr., Mrs. George Prescott, Mrs. B. Harry, Reck, Mrs. Arthur Reppin, Mrs. Henry Sauer, Jr. and Mrs. Henry Sauer, Sr. and Mrs. John Sauer.

Miss Clara Schaller will be chairman of refreshments for the August meeting.

Rural Housewives

Mrs. George Setchell was hostess to members of the Rural Housewives club Wednesday afternoon. Prizes in 500 were awarded to Mrs. Milton Dewey, Mrs. Francis Rex and Mrs. Howard Pohl. Mrs. Ralph Welsh was a guest. A luncheon was served following cards.

Altar Society Party

The public card party sponsored by St. Mary's Altar Society Wednesday afternoon in the school hall was well attended.

The following ladies received prizes for high scores: Mrs. E. J. Cannon, auction bridge; Mrs. F. S. Schmitt, 500; Mrs. Pauline Degenhardt, pinocchio and Mrs. Frank Leuer, buncos.

Mrs. Frederick Hoerner was chairman, assisted by Mrs. Louise Roetzel and Mrs. M. S. Schmitt and at the party next Wednesday Mrs. Frank Full will be chairman assisted by Mrs. Josie Goodwin and Mrs. Emma Goodwin.

Royal Neighbors

Mrs. Harold Herbert entertained members of the Royal Neighbors Lodge at her home Wednesday evening. Mrs. Louis Pohl presided at the business meeting. The remainder of the evening spent playing cards. Prizes were won by Mrs. P. J. Maller and Miss Alice Bennett. Miss Bennett will entertain the group on August 6th.

Woman's Club

The American Home department of Mendota Woman's club will meet Monday, July 7 at 2:15 at the home of Mrs. Idella Miller at 410-12th Avenue for a social hour.

Birthdays Celebrated

Howard Sutton and Mrs. B. Ossman were guests of honor at a joint birthday celebration Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sutton of Earlville. A two course dinner was served at 7 with twin birthday cakes centering the table set for seventeen. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. William Reppin, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sutton, Mrs. Howard Sutton and daughter, Sharon Lea and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Reichardt and son Kurt.

Child Injured

Virgil Austin, age 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Austin, Mendota is a patient at the Harris hospital due to an injury he received while playing with fireworks Wednesday afternoon. He and a neighbor, Donald Denault had a cannon in the Austin yard, and in some manner it was discharged, the charge striking and seriously injuring his left leg. He was taken to the hospital where physicians operated to remove the charge, which had blown a large deep hole in the fleshy part of the leg. Hospital attendants stated that his condition was favorable and barring infection or other complications he would make a speedy recovery.

Attend Funeral

Those from out of town who attended the funeral services of Joseph Sigbroth were: Herman Sigbroth, Lime Springs, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. John Klesath and Mr. and Mrs. Will Koensgen, Dana, Ill.; Miss Margaret Mauback, Rutland; Mrs. Oscar Bendlin, Wenona; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eichmeier, Princeton; Mrs. George Wach, Lamolite; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Walwer, Kewanee; Miss Gladys Yeoman, Marsalis; Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ward, Lowell; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Miller, Lamolite; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stenzel and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Leffelman, all of Sublette; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sigbroth, Peru; Mrs. Ernest Baie, Hincley; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Archer, Compton; Mr. and Mrs. Rhy Mendel, Roseville; Mr. and Mrs. Julius Salzman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rickert, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Guther, and Mrs. Irene

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FRANKLIN GROVE

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Received Commission

Rev. Louis Grafton of the Presbyterian church has received his long-awaited commission which came and Wednesday he reported in Chicago to receive his assignment to an army camp. It's First Lieutenant Grafton, chaplain now.

Aid Meeting

The Aid society of the Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon, July 9 at 2:30 with Mrs. Charles Brill at Nachusa. A good attendance is desired.

Preached

Rev. Galen Lahman of Springfield occupied the Church of the Brethren pulpit Sunday evening. Galen had been attending the annual meeting of the Church of the Brethren and was enroute home. He spent the week-end in the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Wolf and family. Galen is a former Franklin Grove boy. He graduated from the local school and has many friends here who were pleased to hear him preach.

Workers Are Done

The asparagus workers at Rochelle from this place completed their work Saturday. Clifford Blocher, Mrs. Holley, Ed Schafer and Lloyd Group finished a few days before. The asparagus has been very plentiful this year, more so than in several recent years. It furnished employment for many in this community and in Rochelle also.

Truck Load of Poles

The Farmers' Telephone company received a large truck load of telephone poles from Wisconsin the past week. Poles have greatly increased in price over what they paid a year ago. The company has been installing 1,500 feet of telephone cable at this place and also some in Amboy. The recent wind storm broke off a number of poles near Amboy.

Church Notes

Services will be held in the Methodist church Sunday morning. A supply preacher will occupy the pulpit.

Judges and Clerks Appointed

The report of selection and application for confirmation of the selection and appointment of the clerks and judges of elections having been filed in the county court of the county of Lee in the state of Illinois by the county board of said court pursuant to an order of said court the seventh day of July, A. D. 1941 has been fixed for the hearing on objections to the confirmation and appointment of said selections, and the names and addresses and the precincts in which they were selected to serve are for China township, as follows: Clerks, 1st. China, Mrs. Minnetta Moore (R), Mrs. Myrtle Matten (R), Eldon Wilson (D); 2nd. China, Ada Peterman (R), Helen Schafer (R); Thomas Westfield (D); Judges, 1st. A. G. Wasson (R), Elwin Patch (R), C. A. Howard (D); 2nd China, Elmer Miller (R), Abe Yingling (R); R. C. Gross (D).

Dinner Party

Mrs. Raymond Degner and Mrs. Wilbur Dysart were co-hostesses at a fried chicken dinner party Thursday evening at 7:30 at the Dysart home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and daughter Geraldine of Binghamton, N. Y. Others in attendance in addition to the above were Mr. and Mrs. A. Ulrich, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gross of this place; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albrecht of near Dixon; Raymond Degner and two daughters Betty and Barbara, and Wilbur Dysart.

Divorce Granted

Frank Wingert was granted a divorce Wednesday by Judge Leon A. Zick in the Lee county Circuit court. Judge Zick granted the divorce on the grounds of desertion. The court denied the petition of Mrs. Emma Wingert who sought alimony and support in her counter claim, but permitted her counsel, Attorney Robert Bracken to file claim for solicitor's fees, which was to be presented at a hearing.

Brethren Church Notes

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and sermon at 10:30. The subject for the sermon is "The High Privilege of Living". Special music by the choir.

Departmental services at 7:30 p. m. and sermon at 8:15. Special musical number is a saxophone solo by Russell Group.

Wednesday evening the choir will hold its closing social at the parsonage lawn as well as last rehearsal of the season. We would like to have every member of the choir present.

Wednesday—Ladies' Aid meeting.

Former Teacher Dies

Word was received here Monday afternoon of the death of Mrs. Roscoe Lahman at Stillwater, Oklahoma. Mrs. Lahman

will be remembered as Miss Anna Warnick, a former teacher in the local school. Miss Warnick resided with her brother, Frank Warnick and wife who lived where L. A. Frotnow now resides. Mrs. Lahman had many friends among the older residents of the town. She was a very charming lady. Her husband preceded her in death.

Lutheran Church Notes

Preaching, 8:45.
Sunday school, 9:30.

Camped at Devil's Lake

Mrs. Blanche Wasson and sons Virgil and Gene of this place, her daughter, Miss Betty Wasson of Dixon; and a friend, Miss Eva Rhodes of Stillman Valley, motored to the Devils of Wisconsin Sunday where they enjoyed camp life until late Wednesday night.

Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Weigle went to Milwaukee, Wisconsin where they will spend the Fourth and the week-end in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidtmann.

Mrs. Elizabeth Crawford entertained with two tables of contract bridge at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Winnifred Knox came out from Chicago Thursday morning to visit a few days with her father, F. H. Hausen.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Degner, Mr. and Mrs. Will Seitz left Thursday for the lakes of Wisconsin where they will enjoy a week's fishing. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Miller; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller attended the funeral of a relative at Bloomington Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Elizabeth Boyle of Cherry, Ill. spent Wednesday in the home of her friends, the Misses Eunice and Lucy Gilbert.

Joseph Lahman who has been in several of the western states, is visiting in the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Lahman.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Gilbert of Mt. Morris spent the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gilbert. Abe is much improved in health and went to work Monday morning.

Mrs. Charles Jenkens went to Chicago Wednesday and remained over night with Mrs. William Knox. Thursday she met her husband from Albany, New York who will spend the Fourth and the week-end in their home at Grand Detour.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kuhn of Chicago were Sunday evening guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brecunier.

Miss Rebecca Gilbert of Chicago came Thursday for a visit in the home of her cousins, Misses Eunice and Lucy Gilbert.

George Andrews of Rye, N. Y. and William Arnold of Evanston are visiting their grandparents, the Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Lahman.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Martin of Minneapolis, Minn. are visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Byron Brecunier.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hoover are staying here while he is employed in the Rochelle cannery.

Friends here have received cards from Rev. and Mrs. Dreger in California.

Misses Josephine and Maxine Kelley plan to leave Sunday on the Zephyr from Oregon to Minneapolis where they will spend two weeks with their father, Harold Kelley.

Mrs. Carl Sunday in company with Mrs. Richard Sunday and daughter Donna Maude spent Thursday in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson motored to New London Saturday and returned Sunday with her two nieces.

The Methodist Sunday school of the Lighthouse church held their annual Fourth of July picnic in the Gordon Myers grove.

Mr. and Mrs. William Myers of Denver, Colo. visited from Tuesday until Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller.

Friends here have received cards from Mrs. Pearl Canode. Their party was at Yellowstone park the first of July. It was very cool there and lots of bears were seen.

Miss Mary Jane Norris went to Sterling Wednesday and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Musgrave to Chestnut where they will visit relatives over the week end.

The new sales tax has gone into effect. Under this bracket 1c is added on sales from 15c to 65c; 2c on sales of 66c to \$1.24 and 3c on sales from \$1.25 to \$1.74.

Mrs. Alvin Sims and daughter Phyllis of Ogden, Iowa are visiting in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Harry Wilkins.

Obituary

Henry A. Wilkins, the youngest son of George and Sarah Osmer Wilkins, was born Oct. 19, 1871 at Harmon, Ill. and passed away on June 30, 1941 at Elgin, Ill. after an illness of two years. In March 1889, he with his family moved to Ogden, Iowa and lived a few years there, coming to Nelson, Ill. and located on a farm where he grew to young manhood.

When 19 years of age he entered service with the North-Western Railroad and continued with this concern until ill health compelled him to retire after 36 years of service.

On May 27, 1927 he was united in marriage to Caroline Norris of West Chicago, Ill. They moved

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clark of Mount Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Berg left Thursday on a vacation to their summer cottage at Spooner, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Yoe and daughters Betty and Anna of Cleveland, Ohio are spending a week with their son, Eddie Yoe and family.

Mrs. A. C. Reid was a visitor Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kessler at Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawn entertained week end guests, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Carlson of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adamson had as guests Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frendt and son of Chicago.

Mrs. W. S. Bowen and mother, Mrs. J. F. Souder are visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Games at Pontiac, Mich.

Attorney and Mrs. Frank Kerr and children joined the former's brother, Paul Kerr and family of Evanston for a Fourth of July outing at Lake Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gerst, who have been visitors of the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Cottlow, have returned to their home at White Plains, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ward moved Wednesday from the Haight residence on Adams street to the McGee residence on South Fifth street which they have purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Douglas of Cincinnati, Ohio arrived Thursday for a visit with the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Cottlow.

Mrs. David Marks and son of Logansport, Ind. are spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Edward Southwick and family at Paynes Point. Mrs. Marsh is the former Lelia Howard of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Robinson entertained guests, July 4th, the latter's brother and wife, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Adams and their son, Charles of Marengo.

Robert Gantz entertained a college friend over the week end, Gilbert Wolters of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wallingford and family of Rock Falls were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Behler.

Mrs. S. J. Hess was visited Sunday by her brother, Lawrence Schramm and daughter, Frances Jane of Winnetka and her sister, the Misses Clara and Cecelia Schramm of Grock.

Mrs. C. M. Strock is a visitor of relatives in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Potter and family of Freeport spent the 4th with Attorney and Mrs. Gerald Garard.

Mrs. Howard Eychaner recently made a trip to Rochester, Minn. to see her sister, Mrs. Homer Hitchcock, who is a patient at the Mayo hospital.

William Thorpe of Little Rock, Ark. arrived Thursday for a brief vacation with Mrs. R. W. Thorpe and children.

Report For Duty

John D. Gantz, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Gantz has been commissioned as second lieutenant in the U. S. Army Air corps and is to report at Scott Field near St. Louis, Mo. for duty today.

Garden Club

Oregon Garden club will meet Monday afternoon, July 7 at the Oregon CCC camp library. Roll call: A comment or question on the soil conservation tour. Miss Helen de Lhorbe will give an illustrated lecture on plants and animals of Aruba, Dutch West Indies where she taught school the past year. A silver tea will follow the program. The committee includes: Mesdames Zilpha Peterman, William deLhorbe, Ralph Roth, M. V. Peterman and Miss Bertha Geyer.

Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Frederick Clifflor will entertain at a family dinner Sunday in observance of the birthday of her sister, Miss Rachael Bull.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Rev. J. E. Dale, pastor. Morning worship 8:30 A. M. Rev. Dale has selected as his sermon theme: "The Need of Vision". Sunday school 9:45 A. M. Rev. R. E. Chandler, pastor.

to Franklin Grove where they established their home.

In 1895, Mr. Wilkins was made Master Mason in Western Star lodge No. 100, A. F. & A. M. in Clinton, Iowa. In 1925 he demitted from this lodge and was elected to the membership in Franklin Grove lodge, No. 264, A. F. & A. M. He was also a member of Dixon Commandery, No. 21, Knights Templar.

He leaves to mourn his passing his devoted wife, a daughter by a former marriage, Mrs. Arnold H. Jess of Clinton, Iowa; one sister, Mrs. Sarah A. King, Dixon, Ill., two brothers, S. J. Wilkins, of Nelson, Ill., and Osmer Wilkins of Sterling, and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted from the Masonic hall in West Chicago and interment was in the Oakwood cemetery.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday school 9:45 A. M. Morning worship 11 A. M. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated and a short sermon for the pastor.

Rev. A. M. Kreckel, pastor. St. Mary's Catholic. Sunday masses 7 and 9:30 A. M. Church of God.

Rev. S. E. Magaw, pastor. Sunday school 10 A. M. Morning worship 11 A. M. Elder Harry A. Sheets, one of the instructors of the Bible Training school will deliver the sermon.

Berean meeting 6:30 P. M. Evening worship 7:30 P. M. Sermon by Rev. Magaw.

Methodist Church

Rev. Paul E. Turk, pastor. Sunday school 9 A. M. Morning worship 10 A. M. The pastor's sermon theme will be: "Spiritual Vitamins".

Richard Bradford will be the soloist accompanied by Mrs. Melba Landers at the organ.

Young People's Institute will be held at Lena from July 14 to 19.

Probate Proceedings

Estate of Henry Lumsden. Petition to sell real estate to pay debts. Additional bond of administrator filed and approved.

Estate of George Leifheit. Petition and order authorizing administrator to transfer title of automobile to herself as part of widow's award.

Estate of Ralph E. Dailey. On motion of administrator leave granted to amend inventory on face thereof by inserting the words "all situated in Ogle county, Illinois" after the description of the real estate.

Estate of Henry Doeden. Claims withdrawn.

Real Estate Transfers

Emily F. Sheets, trustee, to Gussie J. Reiter, Trustee's deed. Conveys an undivided 1/2 of part of Out Lot G in Hill's 1st addition to the Town, now City of Oregon.

Emily F. Sheets, Trustee and Gussie J. Reiter to John W. Tilton. Deed. Conveys part of Out Lot 9 in Hill's 1st Addition to Oregon and Lots 2, 3, and 4 in Blk 2 of Etnyre's addition to Oregon.

Wilbur F. Brooke and Emma F. Brooke, husband and wife to Emory E. Wood and Florence C. Wood, husband and wife, W. D. Conveys, part of the E 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 16, in Twp. 23 North range 10 east of the 4th P. M.

Andrew Foss, et al. to John Foss. W. D. Conveys an undivided 1-10 interest in Lot 4, in Blk 3 in Hill's 1st Addition to Oregon.

Elaine Coy to Mae Belle Coy. QCD Conveys Lots 1 and 2 of Sheets 1st Addition to Oregon.

Elizabeth Coy, et al. to Mae Belle Coy. W. D. Conveys Lots 1 and 2 of Sheets 1st Addition to Oregon.

Elizabeth Southworth Delaney and Paul L. her husband to E. E. Greenland and H. Bane. W. D. Conveys part of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 24 in Twp. 40 North, Range 1 East of the 3rd P. M.

Fannie Schneider, et al. to James S. Dexter. WD Conveys, Lot 10, Blk. 23 in Oregon.

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Nachusa Lutheran Orphanage at Nachusa will hold its eighth annual Homecoming on Sunday, July 13, the day's program beginning at 10:30 a. m. with an hour of church school and ending with a choral concert by the Rockford Trinity Lutheran men's chorus which starts at 4 p. m., according to an announcement from Rev. C. H. Hightower, D. D. pastor of Mt. Morris Trinity Lutheran church, who is chairman of the program committee.

At a service in the afternoon Rev. LeRoy F. Weihe will be installed as the new superintendent of this institution of mercy which has a capacity of seventy. After serving faithfully and diligently for the past 20 years Rev. P. H. Stahl, D. D., has retired from the post as superintendent and is at present visiting relatives in Pennsylvania. This fall he expects to resume pastoral work again.

Nachusa Orphanage is an institution supported by Lutheran churches in the Illinois, Wartburg, and Iowa Synods, and the Wisconsin conference of the Synod of the Northwest. It is located five miles east of Dixon on U. S. Route 330. Fair weather permitting, a capacity attendance is expected for the day. The complete program is as follows:

10:30 a. m. Church school.
11:30 a. m. the service—
Liturgy—Pastor G. J. Curran, First Evangelical Lutheran church, Freeport.

Choir—First Lutheran church, Freeport. Mrs. LeRoy Farnum, director.

Sermon—Pastor W. F. Buch, D. D. St. Peter's Lutheran church, Forrest Park.

12:30 p. m., Dinner hour.
2:00 p. m., Pageant, Kent Lutheran League.

2:45 p. m., Installation of Superintendent L. F. Weihe by Pastor R. R. Belter, D. D., president Wartburg Synod, Burlington, Iowa, Lutheran church.

3:15 p. m., Address Pastor C. A. Puls, Luther Memorial Univer-

sity church, Madison, Wisconsin.

3:45, Nachusa children.
4:00 p. m. Concert, Trinity (Rockford) men's chorus.

The customary large tent will be used for the day's activities so regardless of weather conditions the complete program will be held.

The nationally known 60-piece Mooseheart band will make its sixth appearance in Mount Morris in recent years tonight, with a concert under the direction of Prof. Frederick N. Schwarz. The band is being brought to Mount Morris through the efforts of the local Moose lodge which will provide refreshments for the boys and their director at the town hall following the concert.

The following program will be given:

Knightsbridge March . . . Eric Coats
American Rhapsody
Newell H. Long
March of the Spanish Soldiers
Thots of Love, euphonium solo.
Arthur Pryor
Arturo Del Monaco, soloist.
Rhythmoons Paul Yoder
Trombones on Parade, march
J. S. Taylor
Lady of Spain, Tolchard Evans.
Maria Elena, L. Barcelata
Vocal by Richard Terrier
Southland March . . . G. E. Holmes
Alexander the Swoose
Frank Furlitt
Friendly Tavern Polka
Bovne-De Vol
New Moon Overture
Sigmund Romberg
I Am an American
Schuster Cunningham
The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Mount Morris Methodist church will meet at the church on Wednesday, July 9th. A friendship supper to which all the women of the church are invited, will be served at 6 p. m. The program will follow at 7 p. m. Mrs. Charles Baker and her daughter Ruth will sing a duet. The devotions will be led by Mrs. Herman Hageman. Mrs. Clarence Palmer will present a story of the Vashiti school. Mrs. Margaret Hollinger will be the program leader. These features, added together and mixed with plenty of good fellowship will make an enjoyable and an informative evening, which is available to all women who are interested in the work of the church.

Reverend Albion J. Tavenner, minister of the Centennial Methodist church of Rockford will be the speaker at the Union outdoor service at Mount Morris on Sunday evening, July 6th. Mr. Tavenner was born in Polo, Illinois. He graduated from the Garrett Biblical Institute and entered the Methodist ministry in 1926 and has served the Centennial church for the past seven years. He has proved his ability as a leader of young people both in his own church and in the Rockford district of the Methodist church. For several years Reverend Tavenner was the dean of the Camp Epworth Institute near Belvidere.

Last Sunday evening in spite of damp weather, a good congregation heard Dr. C. H. Hightower deliver a timely sermon on the topic, "A Christian's Vision in 1941." Miss Jean Davidson, who is general chairman of these services sponsored by the Council of Churches presided and she was assisted by Miss Dorothy Spiker, Miss Helen Baker who read the Scripture lesson, and Miss Dorothy Silvius who led the singing. Messrs. Henry Holier and Donald Medlar sang a duet and Miss Lorene Davis furnished the organ music.

The young people of the Mount Morris churches are to be commended on these services which they have organized and are now conducting for the fourth year. The increasing attendance each year demonstrates the growing popularity of these inspiring services in the out-of-doors.

The Methodist Church

William L. Manny, minister. The service of worship at 10 a. m. Sermon theme, "It Was Not Moses, But God." Those of all ages come to church at this hour. The smallest children are cared for in the nursery. All others attend the worship. Church school activities follow the worship and are under the supervision of D. Cameron Findlay.

The Epworth League will meet at 6 p. m.

Union services at the bandshell at 7:30 p. m. Reverend Albion J. Tavenner of Rockford will preach. The recreation program under the leadership of Miss Adena Joy will begin on Monday morning at 9 a. m. at the Community gym.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet on Wednesday, July 9th. There will be a Friendship supper at 6 p. m., followed by the program at 7 p. m.

The Lena camp meeting opens Friday, July 11th, with Dr. John Holland preaching on the first evening.

Trinity Lutheran Church

Program of activities beginning Sunday, July 6:
10:00 a. m. Sunday, the service and sermons. "Ideals That Have Made America." "The House in Which We Live."

11:00 a. m. Sunday, the church school.

7:30 p. m. Sunday, Community service on the campus. Rev. Tavenner of Rockford is the preacher.

7:30 p. m. Monday, the Church Council meets.

6:00 p. m. Wednesday, Family Night picnic at the Pines, in

ASHTON

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bergeson have returned from a 3,500 mile trip through Canada and the New England states.

Mrs. Eugene Gibson, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Ida Batchelor for the past month returned to Madison, Wis., Monday with her son, Emmett Gibson and family of Miami, Fla., who have been visiting relatives in Ashton.

Mrs. Anne Benson of Chicago has moved to Ashton and is residing in the Paul Pfetzing house on Lincoln highway.

Burton Heinz and Donald Wilhelm who are stationed at Fort Sheridan, spent the Fourth at the home of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schaller and daughter Gwendolyn returned on Monday evening from a vacation spent visiting relatives in Colorado and Iowa.

Miss Margaret Eddy, a former teacher in the local high school, accompanied by her father, Dr. Eddy of Aurelia, were in Ashton Saturday visiting with many of Miss Eddy's old friends. Miss Eddy is now teaching in Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Amo C. Nancivil and sons are enjoying a two weeks vacation trip to Yellowstone National park and the Black Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Boyenga and family are spending the weekend with relatives in Iowa City, Ia.

John Faber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Faber of Chicago is visiting this week at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Faber.

Evon Drummond of Greenville, O., accompanied his daughter, Trudy, to Ashton Friday where she will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schade and Mrs. Addie Drummond.

Mrs. Ida Batchelor and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gibson and daughter, and Mrs. Ralph Green of Miami, Fla., and Mrs. Eugene Gibson of Madison, Wis., attended the Plantz family reunion which was held at Mrs. Hazel Krum's home in Polo on Sunday. There were 34 relatives present.

Miss Eleanor Schafer and Bernadine Krug spent several days at the 4-H club girls' camp at Camp Rotary, east of New Milford.

Henry Kersten, who has been a patient at the Rochelle hospital for the past 12 days, was able to return to his home Tuesday.

Jimmy Orner of Rochelle is spending this week at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Orner.

Miss Olga Krapf is spending the weekend at the home of her parents in Beaver Dam, Wis.

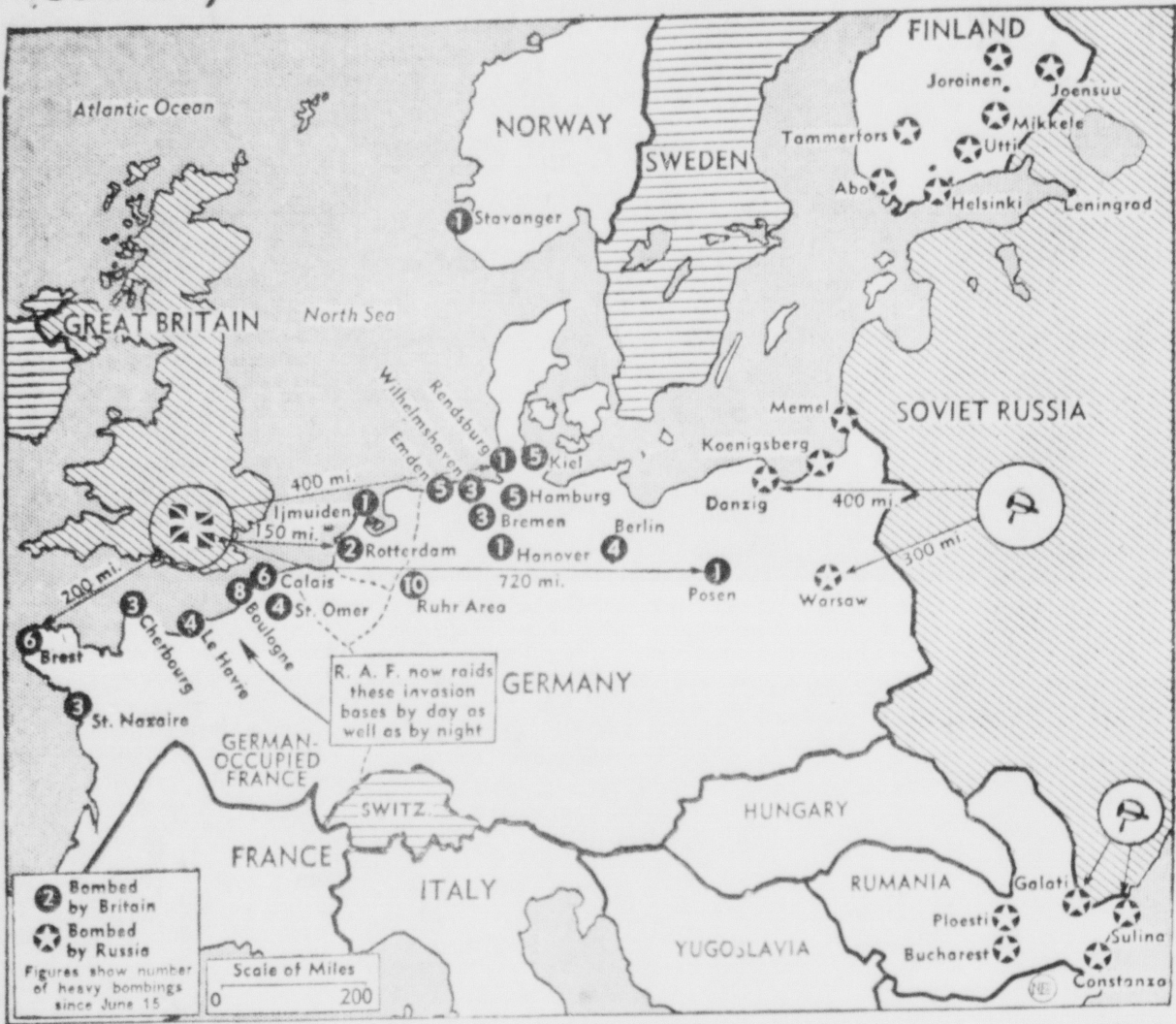
Leslie Sanders returned Monday evening from a two weeks' vacation at Long Lake, near Hauglin, Wis.

Class Meeting

The July meeting of the Willing Workers class of the Evangelical church was held in the church parlors Wednesday evening.

The business meeting was presided over by the vice-president, Mrs. Edward Krug, and plans are being made for the annual mother-daughter banquet which will be held the latter part

Germany Bombed From Both Ends and in the Middle



Germany is getting a double dose of air bombardment from her two enemies, united to effect a Nazi defeat—Britain, striking while Nazis are absorbed with the Russian war; Russia, retaliating for German attacks on Soviet cities. Map shows scenes of air raids on Germany and occupied territory.

Burning Homes Light German Drive on Russia



Burning houses in the town of Horodlowice illuminate this grim war scene as German soldiers, drawing machine guns and light artillery, push their drive in territory of soviet Russia. Photo radioed from Berlin.

Children Overcome During Eucharistic Services



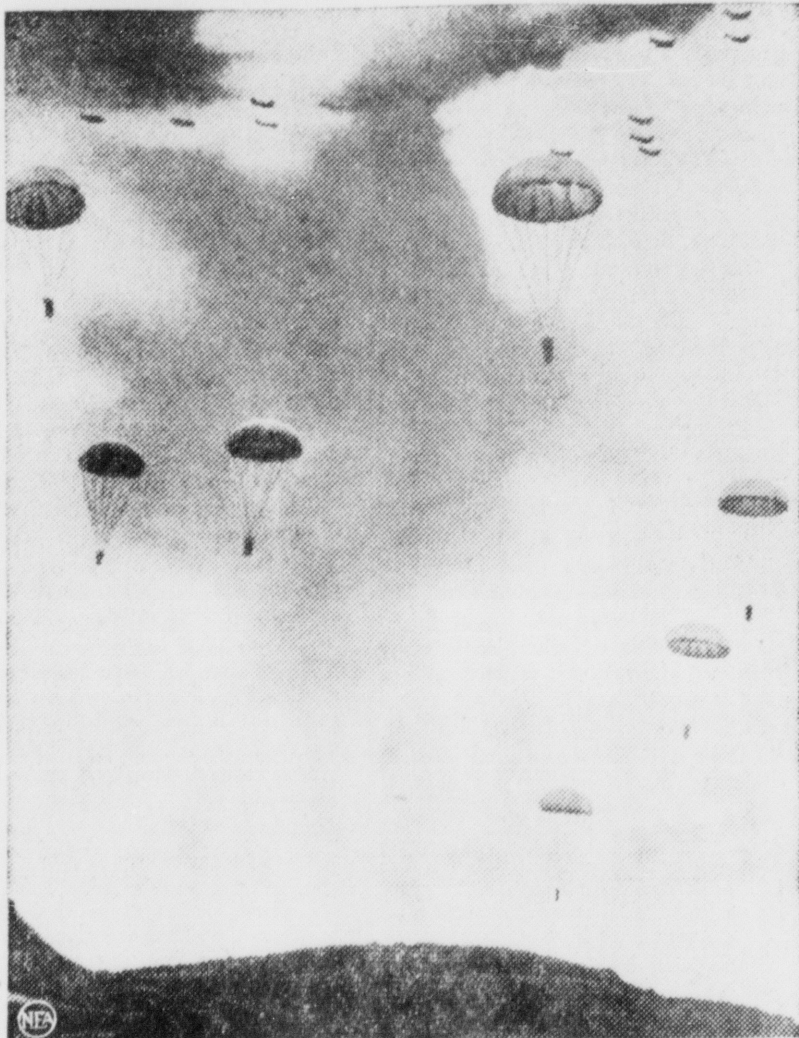
During the special children's mass at the National Eucharistic congress in St. Paul, Minn., attended by 15,000, the temperature rose to the nineties and 500 of the young boys and girls were overcome and received treatment at Cotter hospital, on the state fairgrounds, where the mass was held.

Burning Russian Tank Captured by Germans



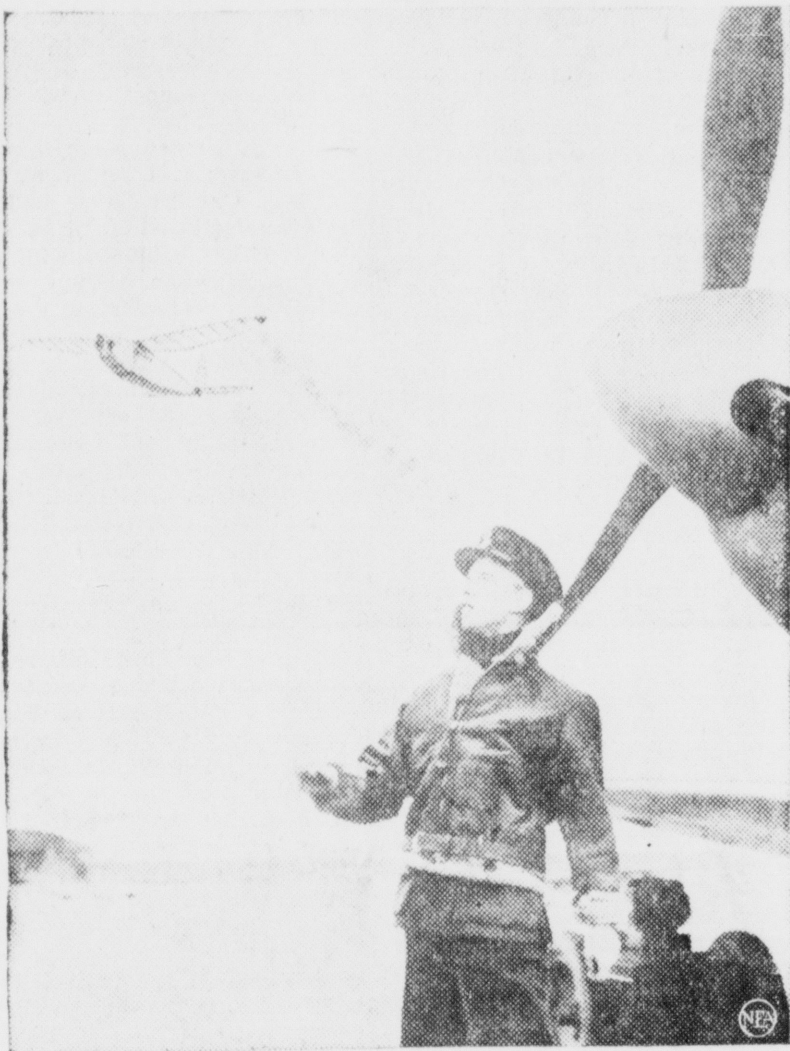
German soldiers are shown at side of Russian tank set on fire by heavy German fire on Russo-German front, waiting for occupants of burning tank to surrender. German censored photo was radioed from Berlin.

Lunch a la Parachute



Japanese use parachutes in war, too, but these are carrying meals not men. That's how front line armies fighting in China's mountains are supplied. Note transport planes at top.

Little Spitfire



RAF Spitfire pilot knocks off from knocking down German planes to fly miniature model plane, a favorite hobby of British airmen who say it takes as much skill and more patience than the real thing.

Kindergarten Kissin'



They begin early these days, with education and spooning. Here Julius Soter busses Sally Green at New York Children's Aid Society kindergarten graduation for tenement tots. Julius was valedictorian, Sally second in the class.

Nabbed in Spy Trap



Lilly Barbara Carola Stein (left), German born artists' model, and Evelyn C. Lewis, Fayetteville, Ark., artist, were among 29 spy suspects nabbed by federal agents on charges of espionage against the United States.

German Armies Sweeping on Leningrad, Moscow



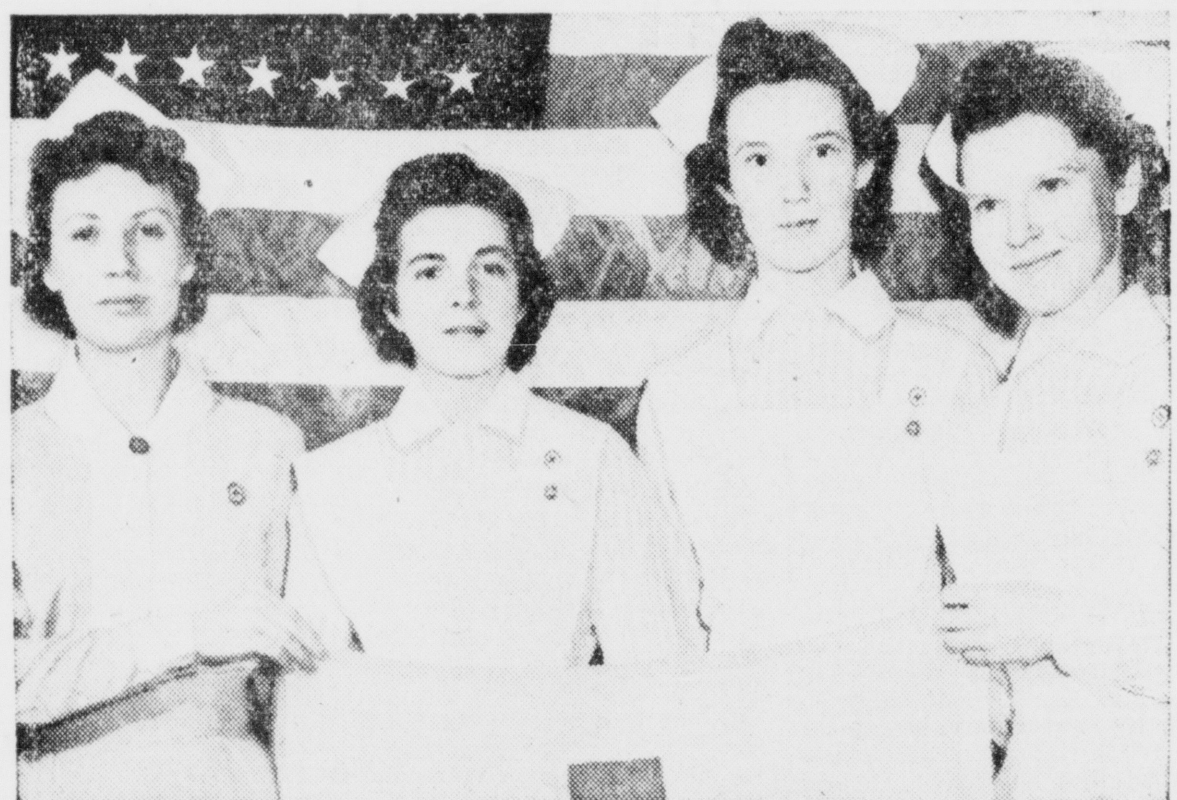
Sweeping forward toward Leningrad, Moscow, and the rich Ukraine, German armies continue their relentless advance into Russia. Neutral observers in London expressed opinion that the Germans might be in Moscow within a week.

Germans Round-Up Snipers in Occupied Villages



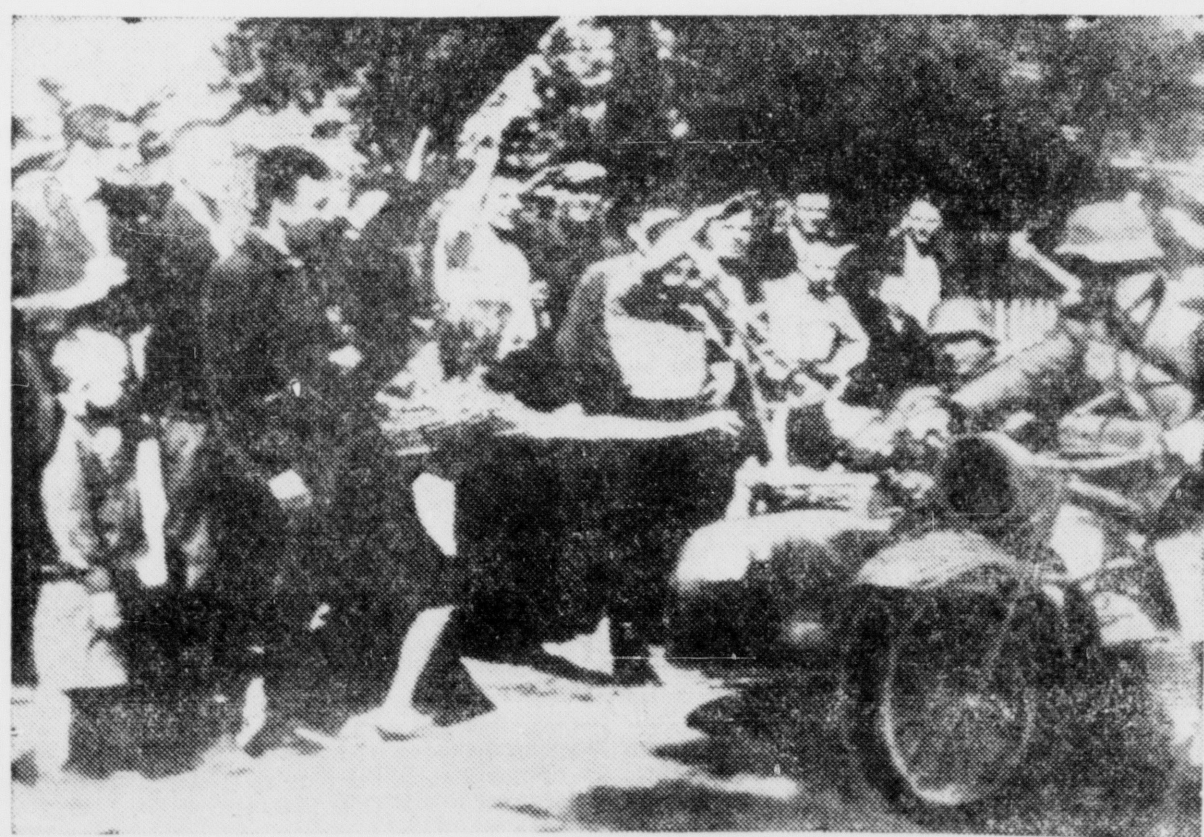
Hands upraised, two civilian snipers (left) are marched past resting troops by their German captors in unnamed city on German-Russian war front. Photo radioed from Berlin, passed by censor.

Red Cross Nurses Saved from Torpedoed Ship



These American Red Cross nurses, en route to Britain, were among those rescued when their ship was torpedoed. Left to right: Nancy M. Heberden, Lee Center, N. Y.; Susan Ralph, Jamaica, N. Y.; Muriel N. Sizer, Holyoke, Mass., and Martha L. Reis, Wooster, O.

Lithuanians Welcome Germans as "Deliverers"



German approved caption accompanying this picture radioed from Berlin said it shows Lithuanians welcoming German motorcycle troops advancing to meet Russians at former Lithuanian-Polish border.

IMPORTANT SCIENTIST

HORIZONTAL

1, 5 Celebrated French scientist.
11 Puppet.
12 To endure.
14 Heavy blow.
16 Unoccupied.
17 Genuine.
18 Hill slope.
19 Ocean.
20 Vegetable.
22 To dress.
23 To assist.
24 Small horse.
26 Pope's scarf.
29 Devoured.
31 Branch.
34 Mover's truck.
35 Sooner than.
37 To endure.
38 Sour plum.
39 Diamond cutter's cup.
40 Pitcher.
41 Iniquities.
43 Mother sheep.
46 Cereal food.
47 100 square meters.

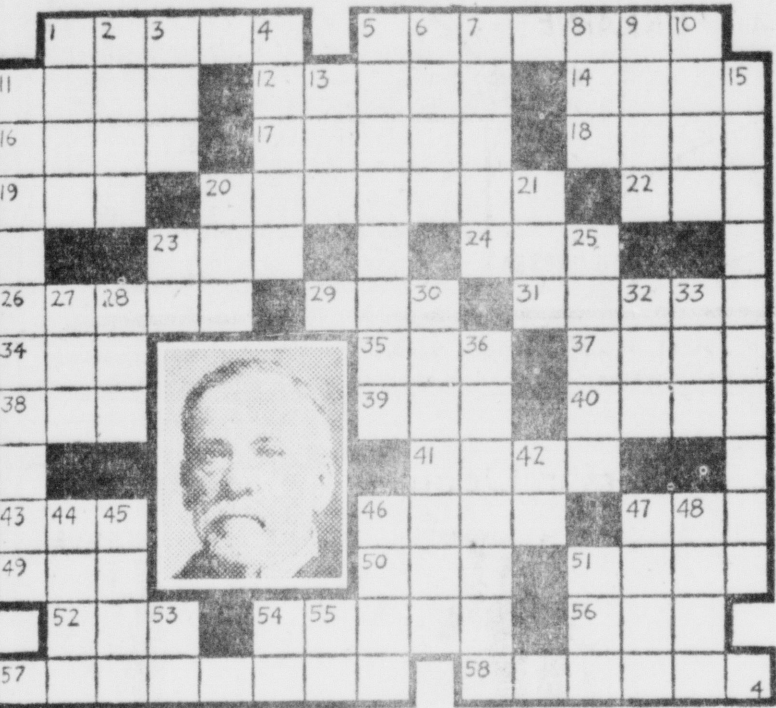
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VERTICAL

1 Vein.
2 Jar.
3 Rubber tree.
4 Rescued.
5 Having a capped crest.
6 Tunnel.
7 Auto.
8 Aurora.
9 One.
10 To do again.
11 He — the

13 Sack.
15 Enrollments.
20 To emulate.
21 Gibber.
23 Mordin dye.
25 Strong winds.
27 Battering machine.
28 God of sky.
30 Corrosive.
32 Stomach.
33 Custom.
36 Outer layer of fruit.
42 Compass point (abbr.).
44 Desire.
45 Tree.
46 Tatters.
47 Pertaining to air.
48 Vein or lode.
51 Courtesy title (letters).
53 Afternoon.
54 Electric term.
55 Preposition.



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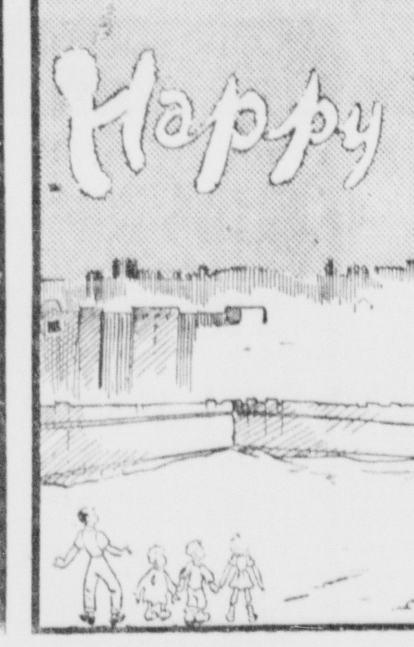
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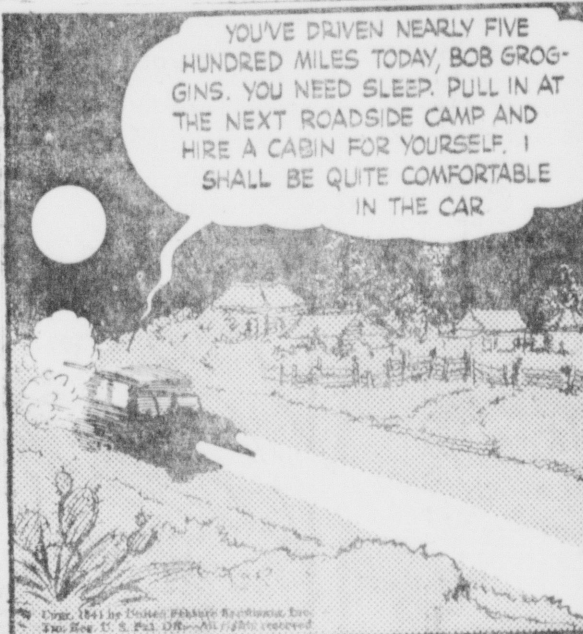
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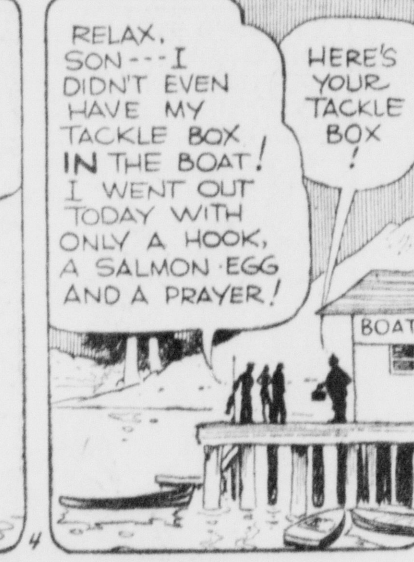
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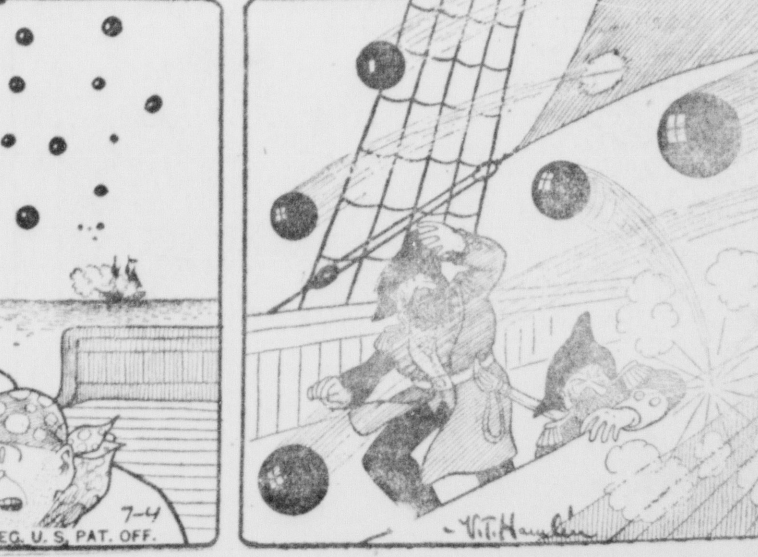
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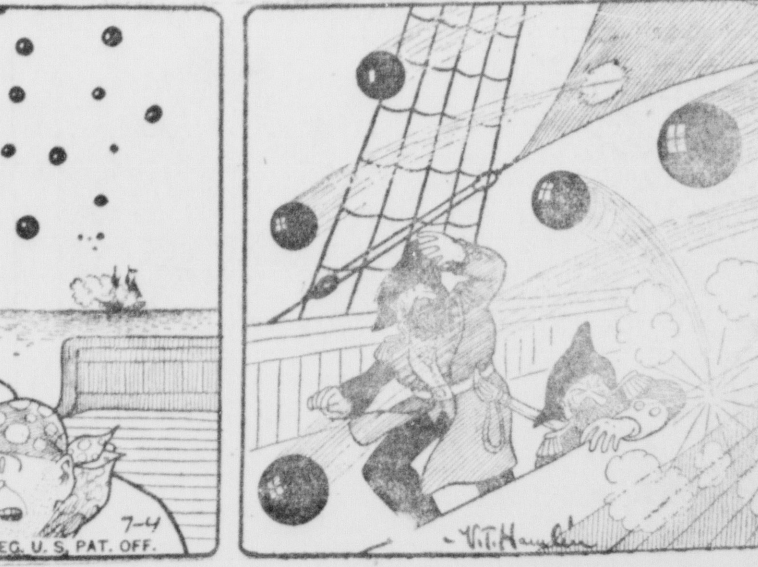
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Model of Auto Plant Will Be Shown in Dixon

A \$20,000 working model of the world's most modern auto plant will be brought to Dixon for a one day special display, it was announced here today by the Plymouth dealers in this territory, J. E. Mills, J. E. Williams and Newman Bros.

Arrangements have been completed with Plymouth officials in Detroit to send here the company's big mechanical model of its main production plant, so that hundreds of local residents may see in miniature the latest advances in mass production technique now in use both for normal output and for special defense work already undertaken by the auto industry.

In Special Trailer

The display is mounted in a special trailer more than 25 feet long, with self-contained equipment for operating the miniature factory. The exhibit is scheduled to arrive here on Wednesday, July 9, and will be placed on display immediately at parking lot south end of Galena avenue bridge at 3 P. M.

Factory experts will accompany the unit, and deliver explanatory lectures during each demonstration.

The miniature plant is an exact scale replica of the giant Plymouth main plant, and is said to be one of the most elaborate mechanical

models ever constructed. An intricate system of electric motors show the factory running at full blast, with tiny figures of workmen stationed at their tasks of regular production on the assembly lines. Cars "produced" in the plant are two and one-half inches long. This is a free exhibit and the public is cordially invited to call and inspect this highly interesting display.

White River Eel Learns Ways of the White Man

A four-foot eel weighing "about six pounds" once reached the table of a group of pioneer Illinois settlers without hook, line, sinker, or net, according to a McLean county historian, who described how his hero landed the finny fellow, whiskers and all.

This fish story gets going in Ohio during 1830 when a group of perhaps ten persons decided to seek fish and fortune amid the streams and undeveloped Illinois prairies. In the course of their trek to the new land, the Illinois Writers' Project, WPA, has noted, one of their number simply reached into the White river and pulled out an eel. Surmise has it that the six-pounder, being unaccustomed to the ways of white men, had somewhat foolishly resolved to take any chance at least once.

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Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, September 1st, 1941, is the claim date in the estate of Emsey W. Matthews. Deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

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5:15 Dad's Family—WCFL
5:30 Wayne King's Orch. — WBBM
Dinner Concert—WCFL
Comedy—WMAQ
5:45 H. V. Kaltenborn WMAQ
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6:00 Spotlight Club—WBBM
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6:30 Barn Dance Party—WLS
Fifth or Consequence—WMAQ
7:00 Gabriel Heater—WGN
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9:00 Glen Garr's Orchestra — WBBM
Rob Strong's Orch.—WMAQ
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9:30 Boyd Raeburn's Orch. — WMAQ
Mills Brothers—WGN
10:00 Jimmy Dorsey's Orch. — WMAQ
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10:30 Club Midnight Orch. — WCFL
Bob Grant's Orchestra — WBBM
Skinnay Ennis' Orchestra—WGN
Russ Morgan's Orchestra—WMAQ
11:00 Emile Petti's Orch. — WMAQ
Bob Strong's Orchestra — WENR
Tiny Hill's Orch.—WBBM
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SUNDAY Afternoon

11:00 Singing Strings—WMAQ
Sunday Sunshine—WBBM
Vagabonds—WENR
11:30 Organist—WGN
Guess Who—WCFL
Lyttel's Orch.—WENR
March of Games—WBBM
12:00 String Symphony—WMAQ
Concert Orch.—WGN
Hidden History—WENR
Invitation to Learning — WBBM
Spotlight Program—WCFL
University of Chicago Round Table—WMAQ
Tapestry Musicale—WENR
1:00 Lavender and New Lace—WMAQ
Columbia Symphony — WBBM
African Trek—WENR
1:15 K. V. Kaltenborn—WMAQ
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Talent Limited—WENR
National Vespers — WENR

News of the Churches

GEMS OF THOUGHT

Nations
A nation is the unity of a people.—Coleridge.
A state to prosper, must be built on foundations of a moral character; and this character is the principal element of its strength and the only guaranty of its permanence and prosperity.—Jabez Curry.
The commandments of God are the bread of life for the nations.—Rowell D. Hitchcock.
God is Father, infinite, and this great truth, when understood in its divine metaphysics, will establish the brotherhood of man, end wars, and demonstrate "on earth peace, good will toward men."—Mary Baker Eddy.
The true grandeur of nations is in those qualities which constitute the true greatness of the individual.—Charles Sumner.
Until nations are generous they will never be wise; true policy is generous policy; all bitterness, selfishness, etc., may gain small ends, but lose great ones.—Washington Irving.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
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BRETHREN CHURCH
William E. Thompson, pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday school; Edward Myers, superintendent.
11:00 a. m. Divine worship. "The Church at Work" will be the theme used by the pastor.
7:00 p. m. Departmental work. David Wade will direct the discussion in the open forum. Helen Buerbaugh will lead the juniors and the young people will meet in B. Y. P. D.
7:45 p. m. A patriotic program will be given by a group of young people, and a short sermon by the pastor.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
9:30 a. m.—Choral Eucharist and sermon.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Second street at Peoria avenue
Floyd L. Blewfield, D. D., pastor
Homecoming services July 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31.
Dixon Homecomingers as well as the regular members are most cordially invited to the following services at the Dixon Methodist church Sunday morning:
9:30 a. m. The church school under the direction of General Superintendent, Leon A. Garrison and with a class for every age group.
10:30 a. m. Homecoming church service, a service just one hour in length planned to please a summer congregation. Dr. Blewfield will preach a special sermon on the subject: "Iron in the Soul." Miss Eileen Finney will be the guest soloist singing "Shepherd Take Me By the Hand" by Stephens. Crawford Thomas will preside at the organ playing as special numbers: "From Chapel Walls" (Hoock); "Melodrama" (Guirand); "Chorale" (Schreiner).

GRACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH
North Ottawa and East Fellows
George D. Nielsen, minister
Sunday, July 6th. (Note change in time of morning services).
9:30 a. m. Sunday school with classes for all ages. Wilbur Schreiner, superintendent.
10:30 a. m. Service of Divine Worship with the senior choir singing "Praise the Lord, O My King" by Farris. George Lovickamp will also present a special testimonial. Sermon by the pastor, "Jesus and John the Baptist," the first of a series of sermons on "The Care of Souls by the Great Physician." (This service closes at 11:30 a. m.)
6:45 p. m. Junior choir rehearsal and League. (For all children grades 8 to 5.)
7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor hour.
7:45 p. m. Evening gospel service of sermon and song. The senior choir will sing "Behold, I Stand at the Door" (Hall). The orchestra will play. Spiritual songs and congregational singing is featured. Rev. C. W. Dehne student at the Evangelical seminary at Naperville and pastor of the Sublette Community church will be the special preacher. His subject will be "Our Daily Task."
Tuesday 2:30 p. m. Woman's Missionary society meeting at the church. 6:30 p. m. Young Ladies' chorus rehearsal. 6:00 p. m. Picnic supper and meeting of the Willing Workers class at the Herman J. Hughes farm. Call Elvin Glessner for directions at 56130.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Mid-week prayer service, two groups. (Adults and young people). 8:30 p. m. Senior choir rehearsal.
Thursday 6:00 p. m. Picnic supper and meeting by the Shepherd's class. Further announcement will be given at the services on Sunday.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. H. Hughes, pastor
Bible school meets at 9:45 on Sunday.
Friday evening the Truth Seekers class will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Ruben Griffith, 221 May Court, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
E. Third St. at Galena Ave.
Rev. Herbert J. Doran, pastor
9:30 a. m. Church school, Henry Pollock, Supt.
10:45 a. m. Morning worship. Theme: "The Church's Task in a World at War."
5:30 p. m. Young People's picnic.
Tuesday 6:00 p. m. Picnic at Lowell park.
Friday 7:30 p. m. Trustee meeting at the Manse.
Friday 8:00 p. m. Ice cream social at the home of Mrs. J. B. Lennon.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Church school 9:30 a. m. Our school continues throughout the summer months with the same concentrated schedule of study as in the remainder of the year. Classes are so graded as to meet the requirements of any age.
Morning worship 10:30 a. m. The sermon topic will be "The Greatest Work in the World." Miss Evelyn Worsley will be the guest soloist, singing "Rest in the Lord."
Wednesday, July 9 The annual business meeting of this congregation will be conducted in the church at 8:00 p. m. Officers for 1941-42 in both church and church school will be elected.

ST. PETERS CHURCH
Grand Detour
Edward H. Lanphier, lay reader
Sunday 4 p. m. Evening prayer.

CHURCH OF GOD
West Morgan street
C. Alan McLain, pastor
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
6:30 p. m. Sunlit Bible class.
7:30 p. m. Tuesday, Berean Bible class and choir practice.
According to prophecy that has been and is being fulfilled, proves the coming of our Lord is near. Let us equip ourselves for this coming event.
The pastor will speak Sunday morning on the subject: "The Passover" after which we will have communion service. In the evening the sermon will be "The Kingdom of God." Is It Here? What kind is it?
All are cordially invited to worship with us.

FOUR SQUARE CHAPEL
607 Seventh street
Rev. and Mrs. Erven E. Westerveld, hold, pastors
Sunday school, 9:45. W. R. Biddle, superintendent.
Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Crusader service, 6:30 p. m.; Mrs. Helen Cheney, president.
Evangelical service 7:45 p. m. Special music and good singing.
Tuesday 7:30 p. m. Prayer service.
Wednesday 2:30 p. m. Ladies' prayer meeting.
Thursday, 2:00 p. m. Children's church.
Thursday 7:30 p. m. Bible study.

ALLIANCE TABERNACLE
Fifth St. and Ottawa Ave.
W. J. Martz, pastor
Bible school 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship 10:45 a. m.
Young People's Fellowship 6:30 p. m.
Evangelical service 7:30 p. m.
Out-lying service of special meetings with Rev. John Wesley Lee will close next Sunday evening. The three closing services will be Saturday evening at 7:30; Sunday morning at 10:45; and Sunday evening at 7:30. Rev. Lee's sermon titles will be as follows:
Saturday evening "Sin and Fire."
Sunday morning "The First Love."
Sunday evening "Christ and the World Dictator."
This has been a time of genuine spiritual refreshing and the public is cordially invited to attend any and all of these services.
Those not attending elsewhere are urged to visit our Bible school next Sunday at 9:30 and slip into the class where the lesson is graded to your particular age group.
A group of the Tabernacle young people spent the day of the 4th in Mattoon, Ill., in a youth rally of the Christian Missionary Alliance of this area. Several of the members of the group took part in the rally program. Byron Weidman, president of the Tabernacle young people's group, gave a short message on the theme, "Give." Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Harrison rendered a special musical selection; the pastor, Rev. W. J. Martz was also one of the speakers on the rally program.

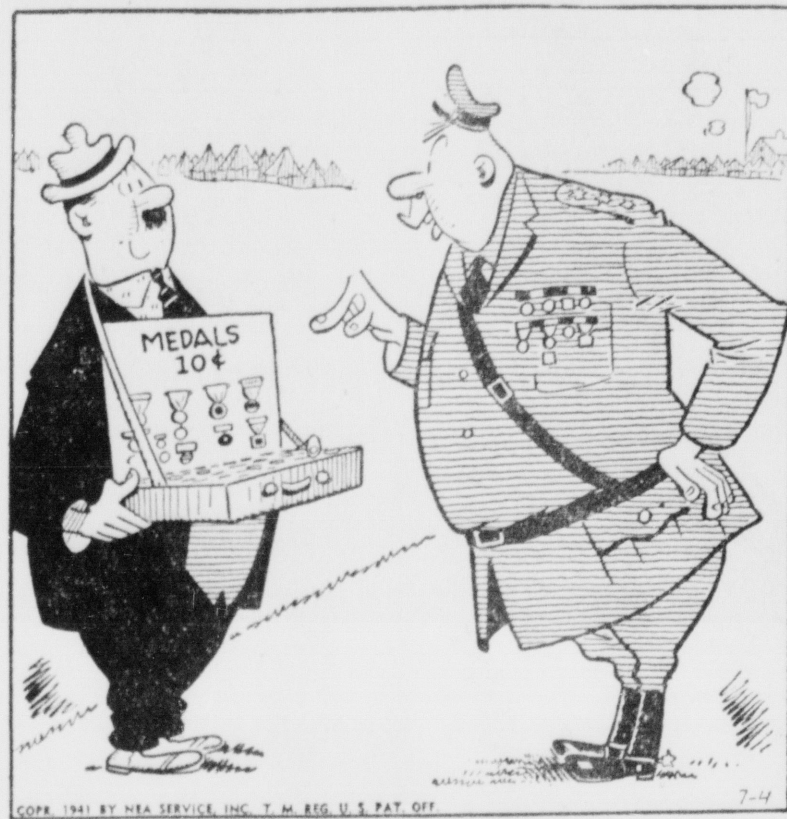
ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
Lloyd Warren Walter, D. D., Pastor
Fourth Sunday after Trinity.
The following summer schedule will be the rule during July and August:
Bible school at 9:00 a. m. instead of 9:30.
Regular Divine worship at 10:15 a. m. instead of 10:45. The early worship which usually is held at 8:00 a. m. will be merged with the regular worship at 10:15 a. m.
Monday 8:00 p. m. Regular monthly council meeting of the church.
Tuesday 6:30 p. m. The Y. W. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Ralph Cross on Truesdall Road. They will have supper there which will be followed by their regular meeting.
Wednesday 6:00 p. m. Cars will leave the church taking the members of the Senior Luther League to Mill Springs for a steak fry. The regular League lesson will follow which will be led by Charlotte Youngmark.
Thursday 2:30 p. m. The W. M. S. will meet in the church parlors. The pastor and family contemplate taking their vacation beginning about the 14th of July. You are cordially invited to all our appointments.

BETHEL UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH
N. Galena and Morgan St.
Rev. R. S. Wilson, pastor
9:45 a. m. Bible school. Study the Word of God with us.
10:45 a. m. Morning worship and sermon, subject "The Gospel in Creation." The services of the day will welcome former residents of Dixon who are attending the Homecoming.
6:30 p. m. Young People's societies will meet in three groups.
7:30 p. m. Evangelistic service. Subject: "Cheer Up." An Independence Day message.
Monday evening 7:30 p. m. Senior League will meet at the home of Mrs. Ada Houpt at Woosung.
Tuesday evening, Intermediate League will hold their meeting at Lawrence park, Sterling.
Wednesday evening, prayer service 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal 8:30 p. m. The Junior League will hold a business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Forman, 1501 Peoria avenue at 2 p. m.
Thursday evening the Loyal Workers class will hold an outdoor meeting at Lowell park. The

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FUNNY BUSINESS



accompanying the wind and rain. Some buildings were damaged and trees were blown down. The oats crop was seriously damaged and the corn crop undoubtedly will be hurt.

Picnic The Fourth
On Friday, July Fourth, the annual Baptist church picnic was held at the high school campus. The program began at 10:00 a. m. with games and social activities. A scramble picnic lunch was served at noon.

Visitors at Centennial
Following are the out-of-town people attending the 100th anniversary of the First Baptist church at Paw Paw during the past week: Dr. Philip Johnson, Sioux Falls, South Dakota; Ray Nybakken, Philip Anderson, Gilbert Lundmark, G. A. Lundmark, Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Diman, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Diman of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. William Adams of Byron, Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Powers of Pekin, Rev. and Mrs. George Voga and son Robert of New Philadelphia, Ohio; Mrs. Russell Dinsmore and John Carter and family of Sycamore; Mr. and Mrs. Ike Ramey of Earlville, Mrs. Esther Betz of Mendota, Rev. Johnstone, Mrs. Gladys Neil and Mrs. Robert Gilman of Aurora; Dr. S. G. Schell of Springfield; Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Allen of Rockford; Mr. and Mrs. Willy Bisgaard of Buda; Rev. Baudoin, Mrs. Albert Linden and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frirkins of Shabbona, Mrs. Carrie Pulver of Plymouth, Indiana; Mrs. Donald Franks of Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Berg of Creston, William Fouts and sister Alice M. Fouts of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dean of LaMoille, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler of Downers Grove, Mr. and Mrs. J. Horton of Compton, Rev. Dalhen and Mr. Pagley of Ottawa; Miss Ruby Daw and Elizabeth Richardson of Compton; Edith Sawyer and Mrs. Besie Merriman of Shabbona, and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shehan of Earlville.

Ed Stroyan Passes
Ed Stroyan, long time resident of the Paw Paw community, passed away on Tuesday morning at about 9:30 o'clock, at the home of his brother, John Stroyan. Mr. Stroyan had been in ill health for several months and for the past few days he was in serious condition. Funeral services were held Thursday, July 3, at the Torman funeral home in Paw Paw with the Rev. Herman Meyer of the Baptist church officiating. Burial was in the Wyoming cemetery.

Fourth of July Club
The annual picnic of the Fourth of July club was held at the home of the club's president, Mrs. Louise Valentine.

To Speak at Baptist Church
On Sunday, July 13, Dr. G. Whitfield Ray, world renowned missionary explorer will visit the Baptist church of Paw Paw and will have charge of both services. Dr. Ray has visited 65 different countries on all the five continents. He is famous as an author and traveler. The British government made him a fellow of the Royal Geographical Society because of his exploration works.
He was recently commissioned by the Museum of Natural History of New York City to return to South America and also by the Lincoln park zoo of Chicago. In missionary circles he is known as the Livingstone of South America.
Tens of thousands have heard Dr. Ray on the radio and on Sunday, July 13, you can hear him in person at the Baptist church. He will speak at both the morning and evening services.

Miss Grace Larson Weds
Miss Grace Larson, music teacher in the Paw Paw schools for the past two years, became the bride of Russell Larson Saturday afternoon, the ceremony taking place at 5:30 o'clock in Chicago. The wedding took place at the church where the bride has been organist for a number of years.
After a honeymoon trip that will take them into northern Minnesota, Mr. and Mrs. Larson will make their home in Chicago. The many friends here wish them happiness in life together.

Obituary
Norman Edward Stroyan, son of Samuel and Amelia Stroyan, was born on July 30, 1869 at Seneca, Illinois. He passed away on July 1, 1941 at the home of his brother, John Stroyan, south of Paw Paw.
Surviving him are three brothers and two sisters; John of Paw

Paw, William of DeKalb, Steve of Davenport, Iowa; Mrs. Agnes Buchanan of Paw Paw and Mrs. Guy Lilly of Kansas City, Mo. One brother, Peter, and one sister, Mrs. Cora Gates, preceded him in death.
Funeral services were held on Thursday, July 3, from the Torman funeral home with the Rev. Herman Meyer of the Baptist church officiating. Burial was in the Wyoming cemetery.

Miss Rosemary Nangle of DeKalb Teachers college spent the week-end at the Frank Nangle home.
The ice cream social held at the Methodist church Monday evening and sponsored by the Epworth league was well attended.
Mrs. A. S. Wells left Tuesday for Lameque, Montana, to visit for a few weeks at the home of her brother, E. C. Davis.
On Monday afternoon a miscellaneous shower was given for Mr. and Mrs. Willy Bisgaard at Buda, sponsored by the Baptist church there.
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith have moved into the home of the late Will Fleming.
Wilbur Woods is now operating the Standard oil station formerly operated by Ray Poltsch.
The Wy-Lee 4-H club met Wednesday in a regular meeting at the school house, with a good number on hand for the fine program.

Presbyterian Church
J. Edward Dirks, pastor
Sunday school services at 10 a. m. with Frank E. Nangle, superintendent.
Regular morning worship service at 11 o'clock. Dr. J. Harry Cotton, president of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary, will be the speaker. He will lead in the dedication service of the year's pledges, and a communion service. Everyone is invited to hear a remarkable speaker this Sunday and sit at the Lord's table in holy communion with him. "Christ, our passover, is sacrificed for us, therefore let us keep the feast, not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice, and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth". Come to the sacred table, not because you must, but because you may; come to testify not that you are righteous, but that you sincerely love our Lord Jesus Christ and desire to be His true disciples; come, not because you are strong, but because you are weak; not because you have any claim on Heaven's rewards, but because in your frailty and sin you stand in constant need of Heaven's mercy and help; come, not to express an opinion, but to seek a presence and pray for a spirit. Young people's meeting at 6:00 p. m. Always a worship service and a period for

Builders' Class Picnic
The members of the Builders' class of the Methodist church held their annual picnic at the city park grounds on Tuesday afternoon. A very good number were present for the occasion, in all about 30 being on hand. A regular business meeting was held after which a social time was enjoyed. A committee served a dainty lunch.

Family Dinner
On Tuesday evening the Presbyterian church family dinner sponsored in accordance with the Stewardship week, was a great success. About 80 persons came to enjoy the dinner and the fine program. J. Edward Dirks gave a vocal selection, various readings were given and the group enjoyed community singing.

Cottage Hill Picnic
On Sunday, July 13, the Cottage Hill school reunion committee extends an invitation to all graduates and teachers of the school to a picnic reunion to be held at the school park in Paw Paw. This reunion of the graduates and teachers held every two years, is always a great success. Those wishing to attend should bring their own sandwiches and a dish to pass along with their table utensils. Remember the date, July 13.

Big Storm Monday
On Monday, Paw Paw and vicinity was hit hard by a heavy wind and rain storm. Some farmers reported that their crops were somewhat damaged by hail

Christian recreation. Come, and bring your friends.

Methodist Church
James Hagerty, pastor
"I'm the Hour that ye know not, the Son of Man Cometh."
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. with Carl Rosenkrans superintendent. Classes for all ages.
Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Epworth league at 6:15 p. m. Beginning a new series of topics entitled "Are You Growing Up?"
Triple S class meets Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 p. m.
Junior League meeting Tuesday at 1:00 at the parsonage.
Monthly church board meeting on July 14th.

Baptist Church
Herman E. Meyer, pastor
Sunday school service at 10:00 a. m. with Mrs. Forrest Brewer superintendent. Classes for all ages.
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon subject: "The Work of the Holy Spirit."
B. Y. P. U. at the church parlors at 6:30 p. m. All young people are invited to fellowship with us.
Evening service at 8:30 p. m. Sermon subject: "God's Last Invitation."
Thursday evening the mid-week prayer and praise service at the recreation rooms at 7:30

Pioneers Observed Fourth With Programs
Illinois historians have noted with interest the widespread and noteworthy Fourth of July celebrations that marked even the very early years of the state's development.
Observance of Independence Day was an event in the lives of the settlers, and every village arranged its program, in which people from the nearby countryside also joined, says the Illinois Writers' Project, WPA.
Records tell how Kaskaskia residents observed Fourth of July, in 1818, the year Illinois was admitted to the Union. A great civic dinner was followed by speeches that reflected the high patriotism of the people.
A year later, Edwardsville citizens carried out an elaborate program, in which artillery sounded at dawn and the reading of the Declaration of Independence climaxed a program that included a great patriotic procession.
Annual production reported to the Census Bureau by the glass industry includes 2,525,000 gross of milk bottles; 2,574,000 gross of beer bottles, and 8,212,000 gross of liquor and wine bottles. Glass containers for medicines and toilet preparations number 17,994,000 gross.

Only 42 factories are required to take care of Uncle Sam's bald spots, according to Census records, which show that these establishments employ 370 workers in the manufacture of wigs, switches, braids, and puffs made from human hair.
There were 106,959 stores selling apparel in the U. S. in 1939, or one to each 300 families.

Postmaster Writes Own Return Address

One Illinois postmaster who honestly did not know when he was no longer in office caused a good deal of merriment as well as consternation a number of years ago, according to newspaper accounts, says the Illinois Writers' Project, W. P. A.

It seems that when Grover Cleveland became the twenty-second president of the United States he appointed a postmaster at Ivanhoe in Lake county. Benjamin Harrison, as the twenty-third chief executive of the nation, named another person to the position—this time a postmistress.

Right after Cleveland had been re-elected to the high office as twenty-fourth president, the postmaster whom he had appointed during his first term is said to have driven up to the Ivanhoe office with his wagon, convinced that he was again the incumbent. He persuaded the postmistress to turn over the effects of the office to him, and proceeded to carry on official business from his place, accounts of the incident relate.

Of course, the situation soon came to the notice of the post-office department, and an inspector restored the postmistress to her official post. Thus ended a situation that was described at the time as being "one of the funniest complications that the department has ever experienced."

Factories annually produce nearly 600 million drinking glasses—tumblers, goblets, and barware—to take care of America's needs, reports to the Census Bureau show.

An average electric refrigerator contains nearly 200 pounds of steel.

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Continuous From 2:30
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MON. - WED. - FRI.

WASHINGTON MELODRAMA
FRANK MORGAN
ANN RUTHERFORD
KENT TAYLOR
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RAY HOLDER
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